

Additive Manufacturing, Verification and Implantation of Custom Titanium Implants

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Organization details

Company was established on 2010 as spin-off company of Technical University of Košice (TUKE) and CEIT a.s. holding (Central European Institute of Technology).

Company employes 7 employees, biomedical and material engineers who were direct students of TUKE, Faculty of mechanical engineering, Department of biomedical engineering and measurement.

free form
modelling
& development
of prototypes

manufacturing
of certified
medical
products,
custom-made
& in series

research
& development
of medical
products

Organization details

custom implants made of titanium alloy (Ti-6Al-4V) (Grade 5) manufactured by the 3D printing technology

plastic and metal prototypes manufactured by the 3D printing technology, manufacture of anatomic models

3D scanning, digitalisation and modelling of medical products

medical data processing and adjustment

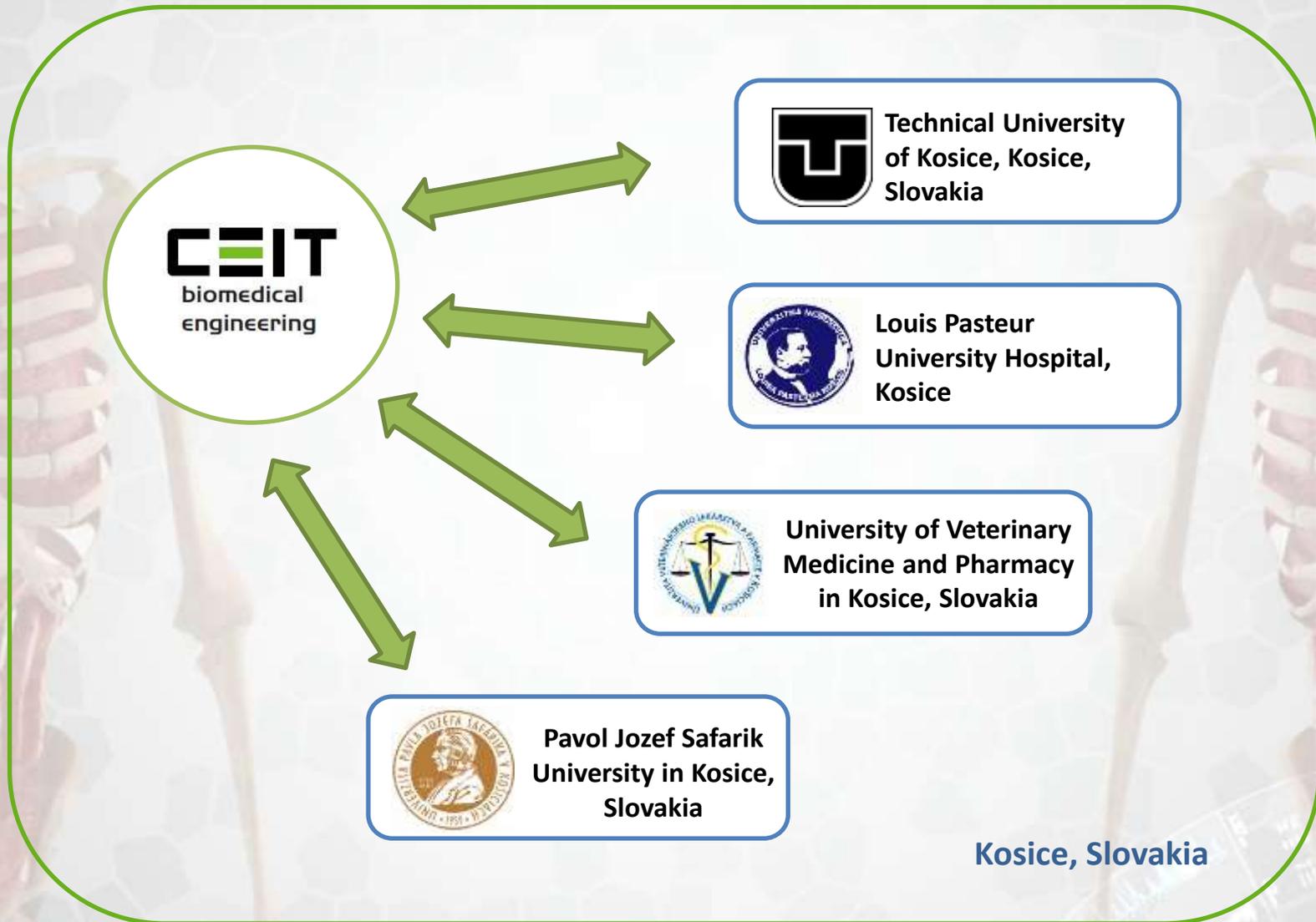
verification and validation of medical products

medical metrology and diagnostics

science and research in the field of implantology, implant manufacturing and medical sensorics

- Company is accredited producer of CMF custom-made implants: SIDC code – SK-13-0224
- Approved medical devices:
 - Custom-made cranial implant P91710
 - Custom-made maxillo-facial implant P91709
 - Custom-made cranio-maxillo-facial implant P91708

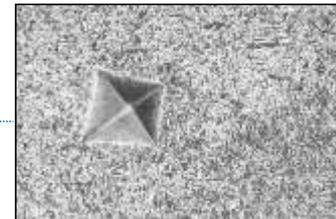
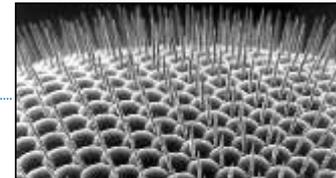
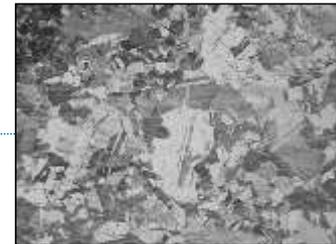
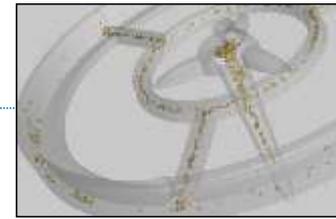
Organization details



Technology and equipment



- industrial tomography
- geometric metrology
- metallography
- spectroscopy
- electron microscopy
- roughness measurement
- hardness measurement
- thermography



Technology and equipment

1. Metrotomography – ZEISS Metrotom 1500



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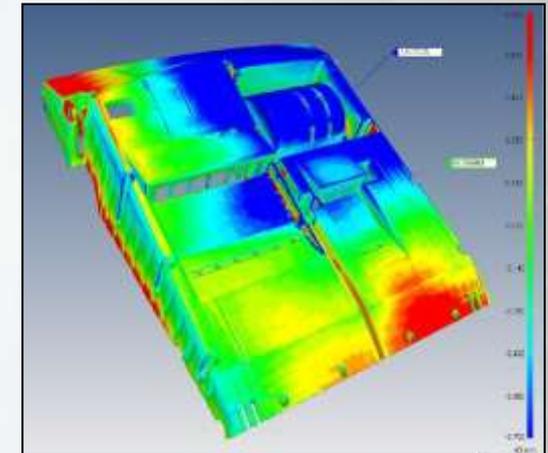
X-ray → computer tomography → metrotomography



2D inspection



3D visualization
splines



3D visualization
splines
measurements



Technology and equipment

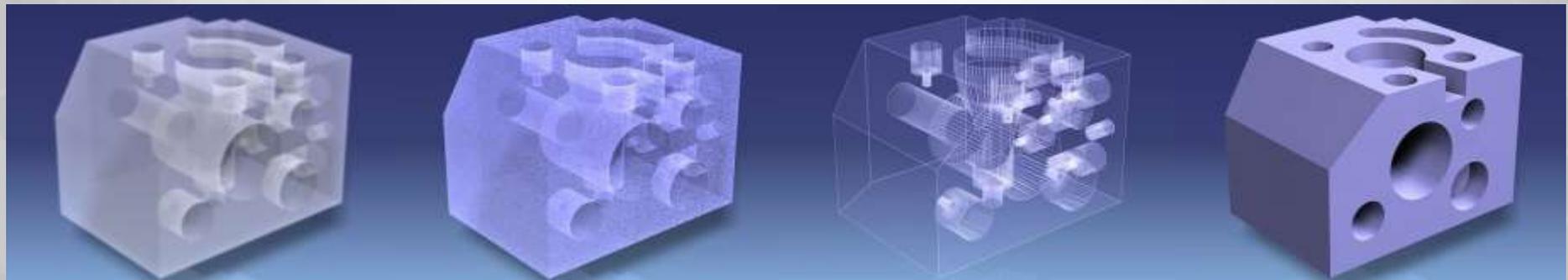
1. Metrotomography – ZEISS Metrotom 1500 (reverse engineering)

Volume model

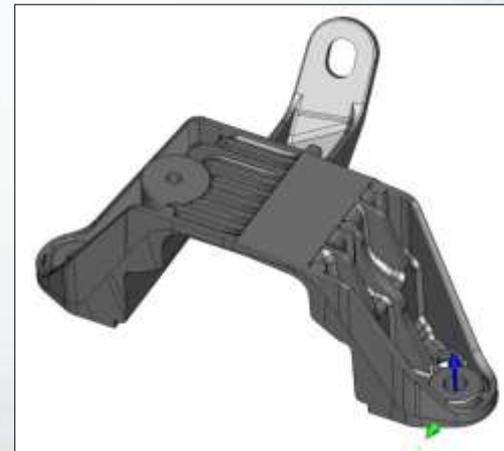
Point cloud

Splines

CAD model



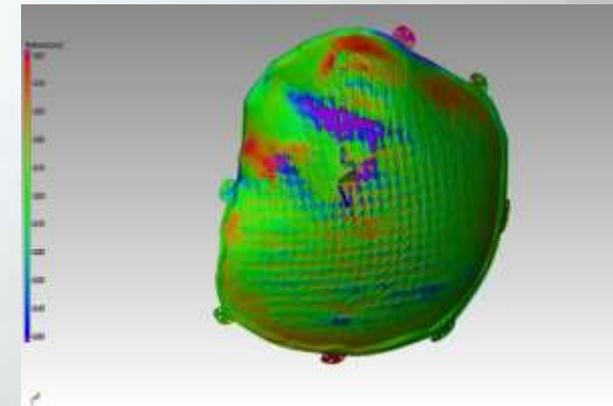
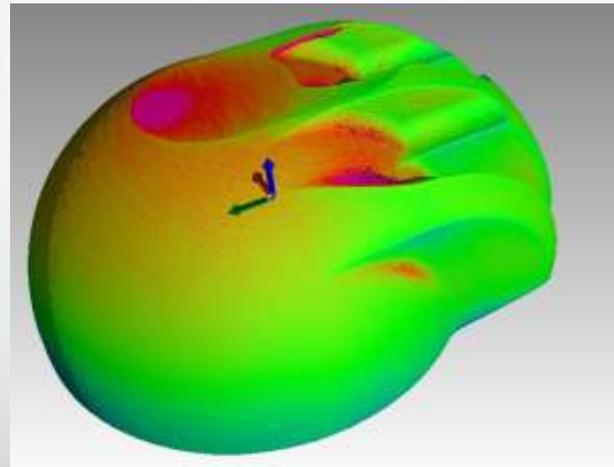
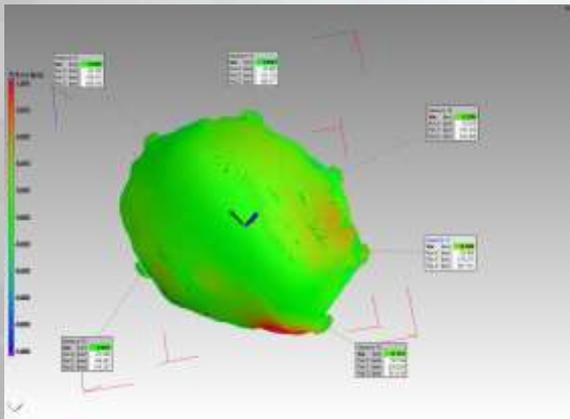
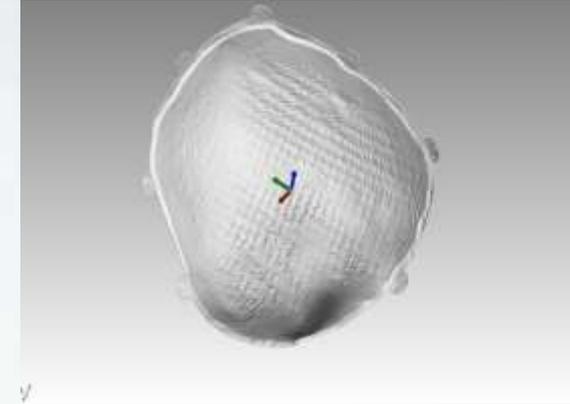
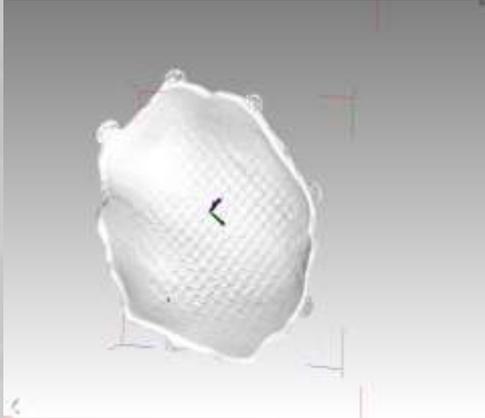
Real part



3D CAD model

Technology and equipment

1. Metrotomography – ZEISS Metrotom 1500 (deviations)



Technology and equipment

2. Coordinate metrology – ZEISS Contura G2



Technology and equipment

3. Scanning



Technology and equipment

4. Direct metal laser sintering lab – EOSINT M280

Building volume

(including building platform)
250 mm x 250 mm x 325 mm)

Laser type

Yb-fibre laser, 200 W

Precision optics

F-theta-lens, high-speed scanner

Scan speed

up to 7.0 m/s (23 ft./sec)

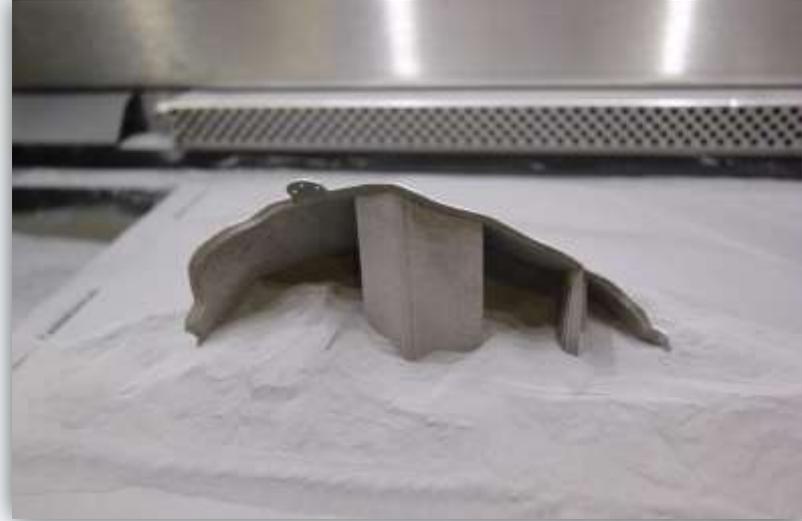
Variable focus diameter

100 - 500 μm (0.004 - 0.02 in)



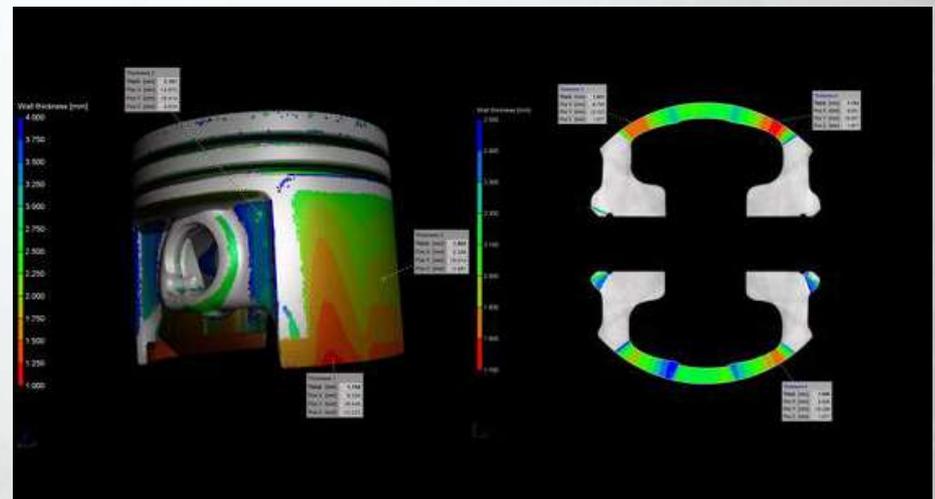
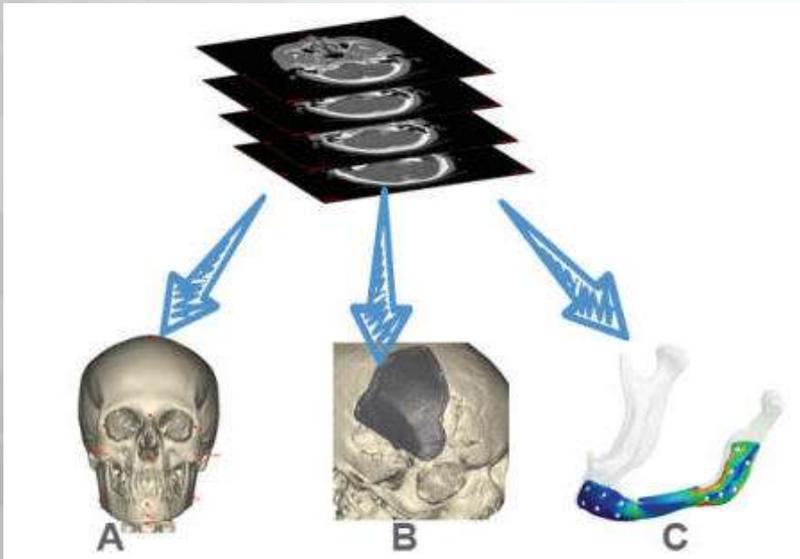
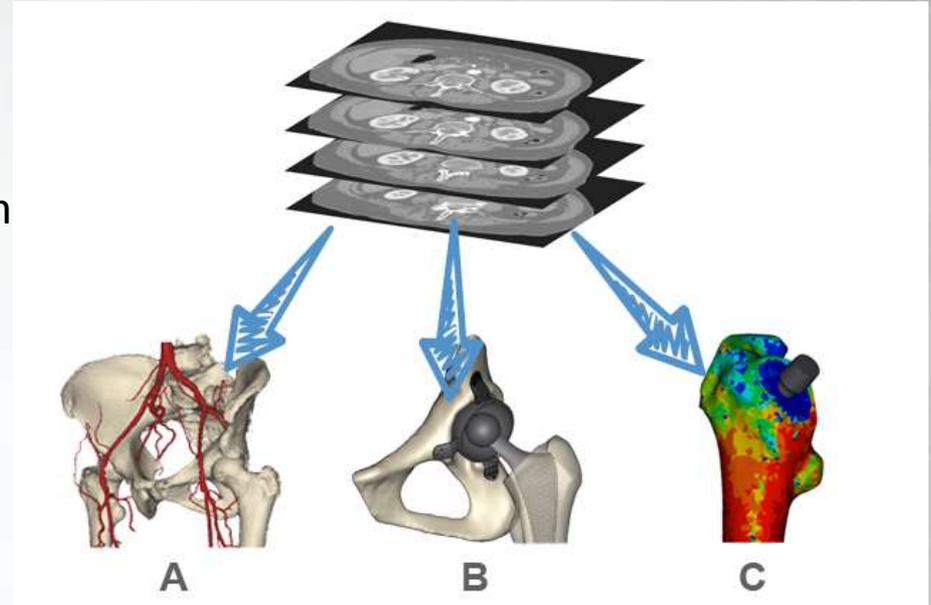
Technology and equipment

4. Direct metal laser sintering process – EOSINT M280



Technology and equipment - Software

1. Mimics - Materialise, Belgium
2. STL+ and 3Matic - Materialise, Belgium
3. Magics - Materialise, Belgium
4. Within Medical - Within, United Kingdom
5. Solidworks - Dassault Systèmes, USA
6. RapidForm - 3D Systems, USA
7. Geomagic - 3D Systems, USA
8. Calypso – ZEISS, Germany
9. VGStudio - Volume Graphics, Germany
10. Exocad – Exocad, Germany



*AM - a process of joining materials to make objects from 3D model data, usually layer upon layer (ASTM F2792 - 12a)

*AM/ step by step

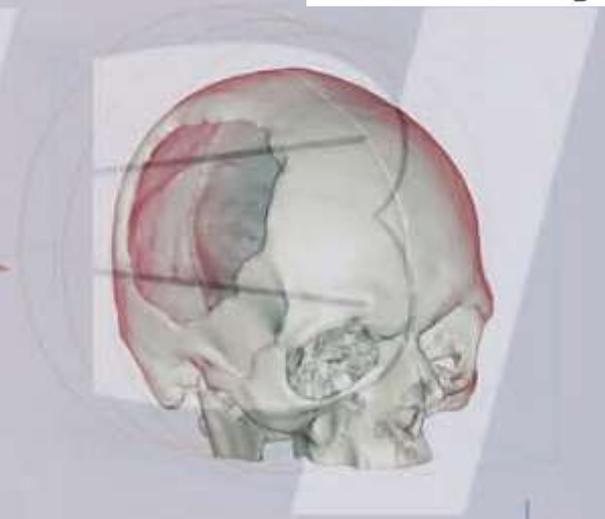
process of development and manufacturing of a custom-made cranial implant
applying the additive technology



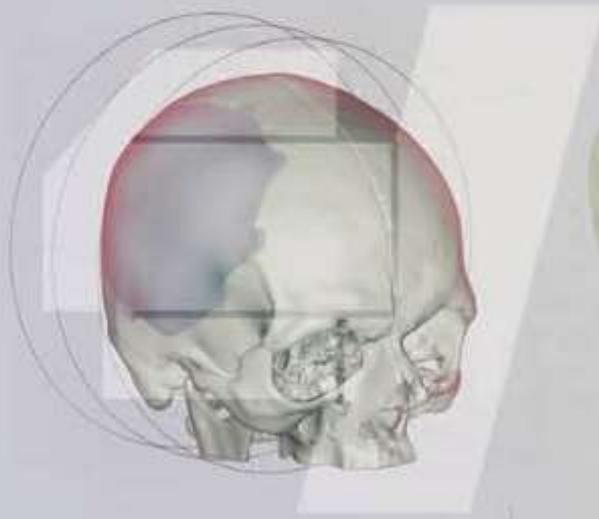
diagnostics



input data (CT, MRI)



referential model



implant modelling



3D printing of prototypes



consulting



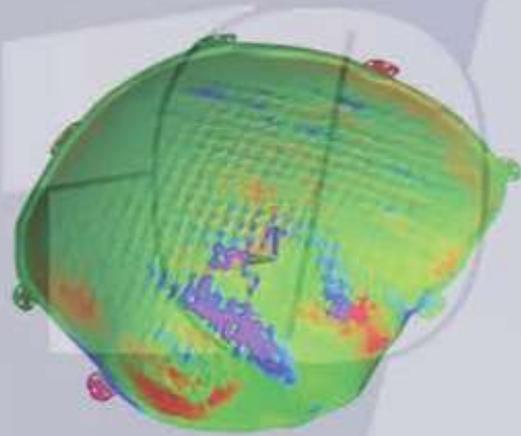
additive manufacture (AM)



postprocessing



implant Ti-Al6-V4 (Grade 5)



validation-metrotomography



surgery



after the reconstruction

Input data for AM



Body surface:
Optical and laser scanning, white and blue light scanning



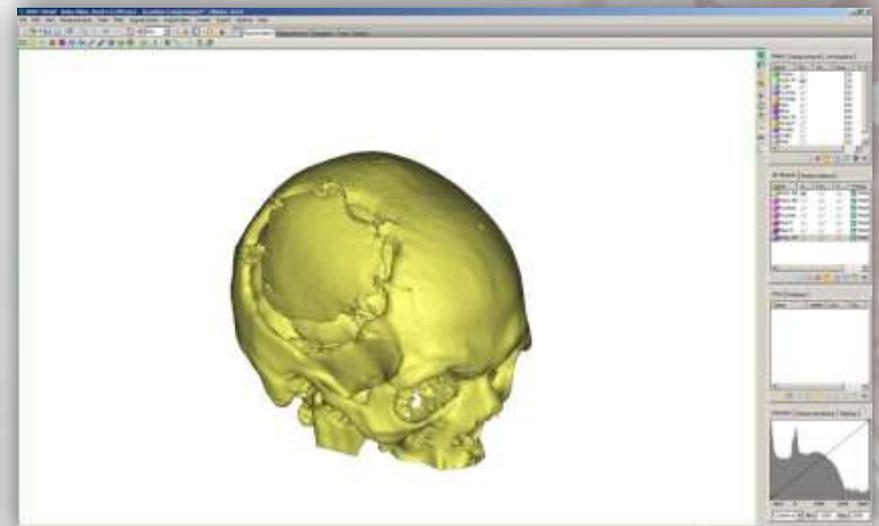
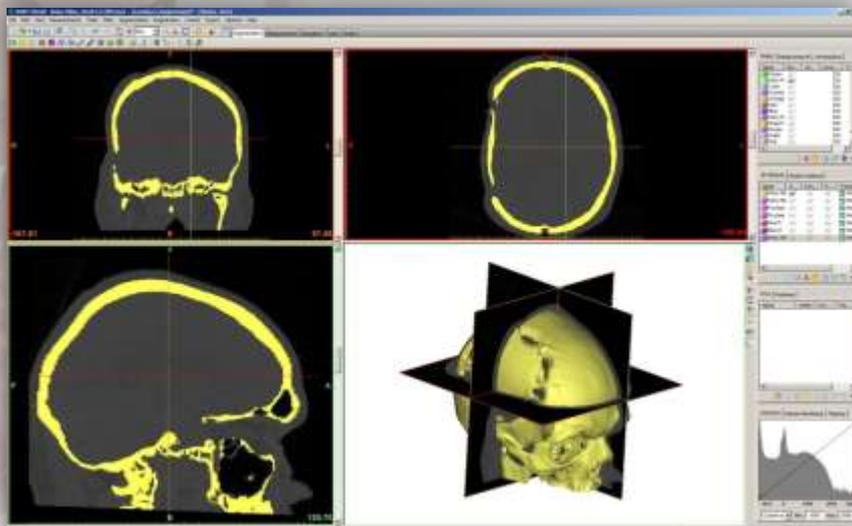
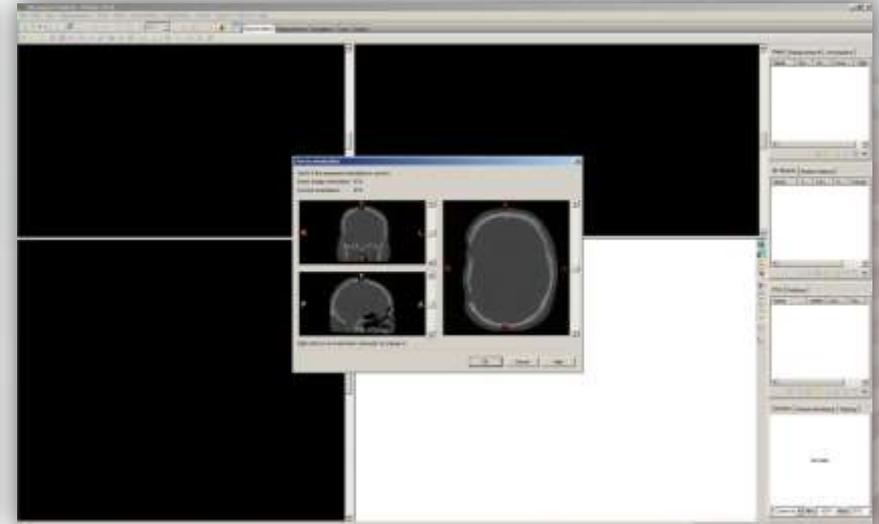
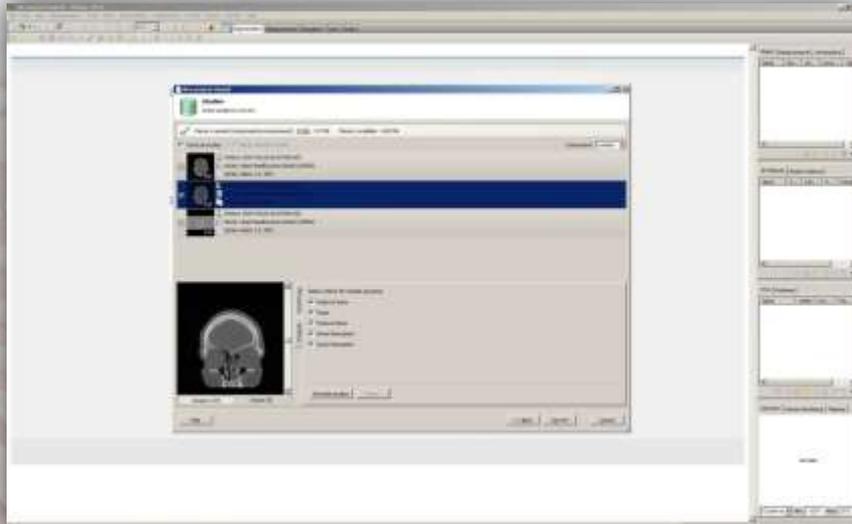
Bones:
CT/MRI/
DICOM data



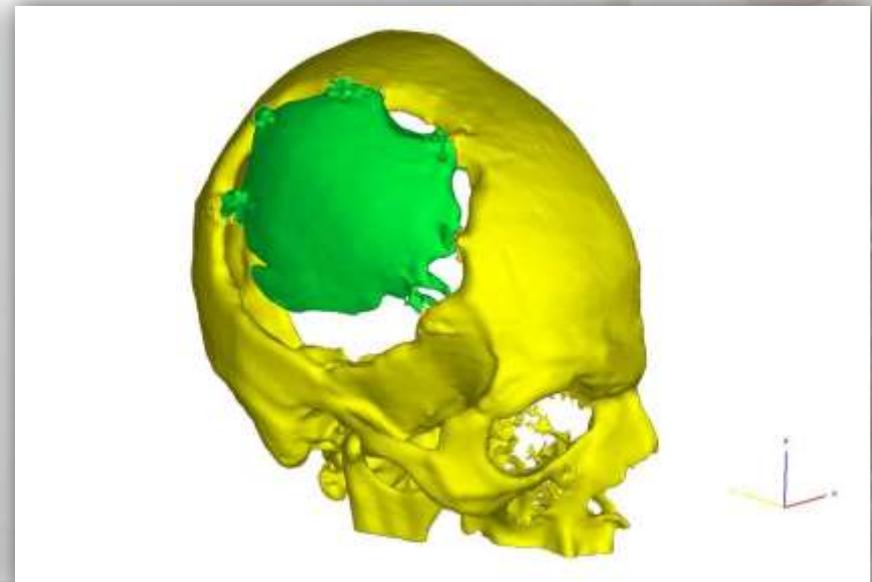
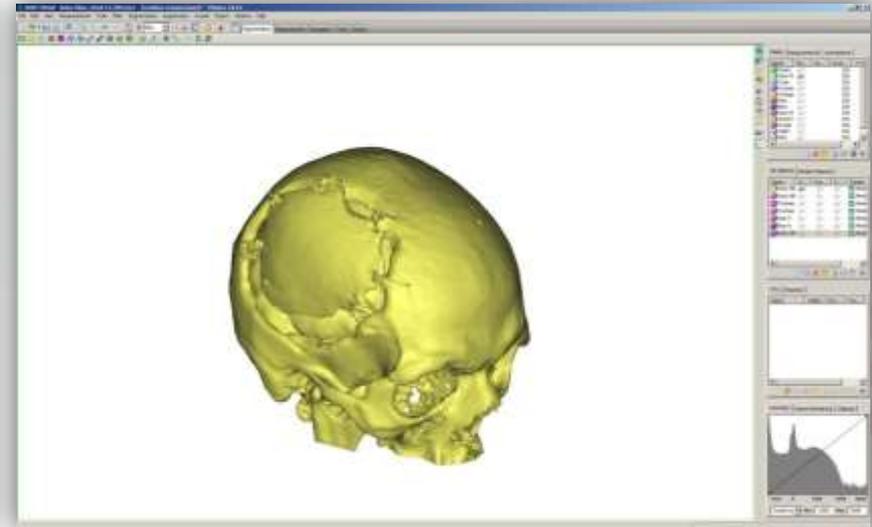
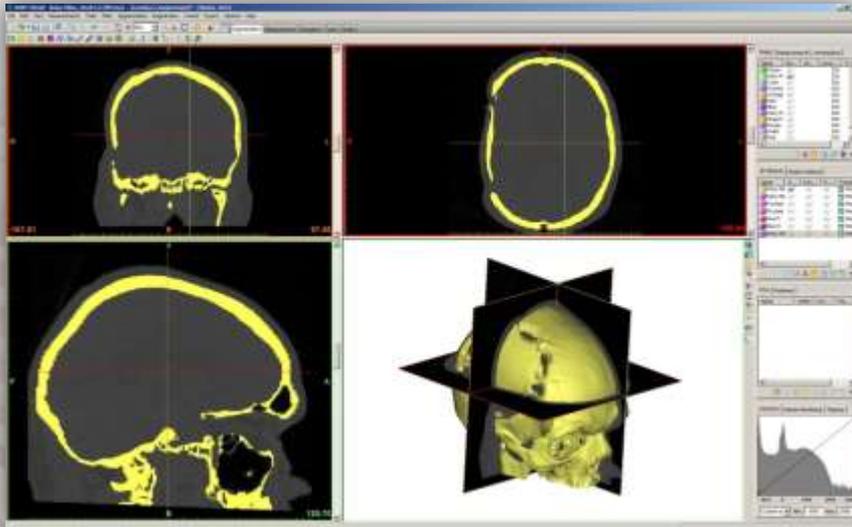
Inner organs:
CT/MRI/USG
DICOM data

CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

DICOM data transformation

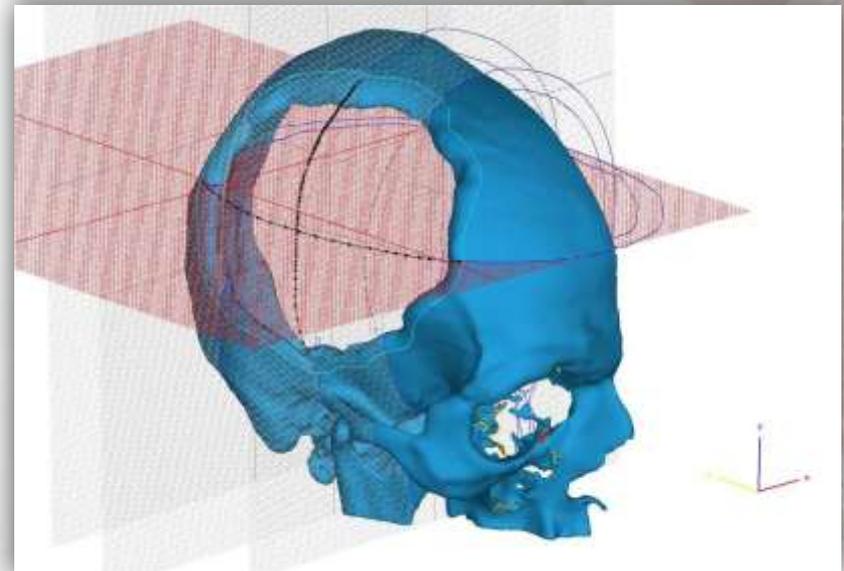
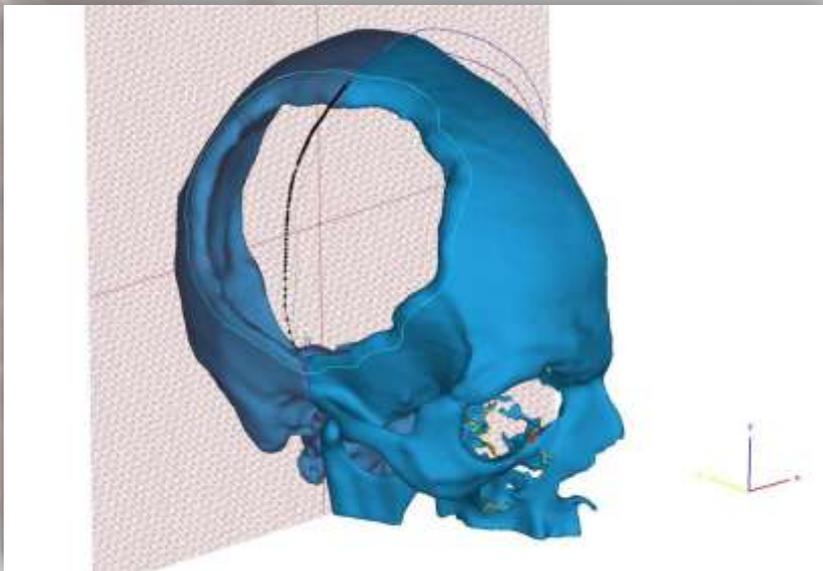
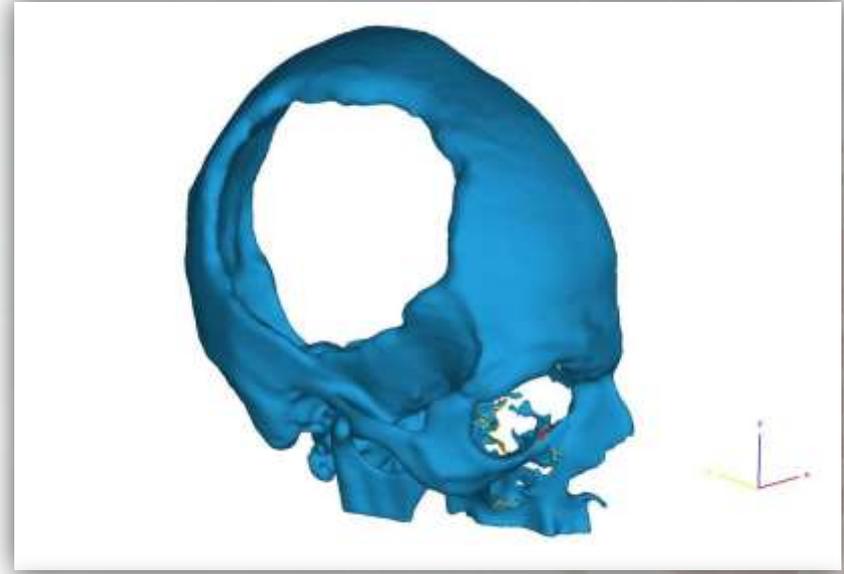
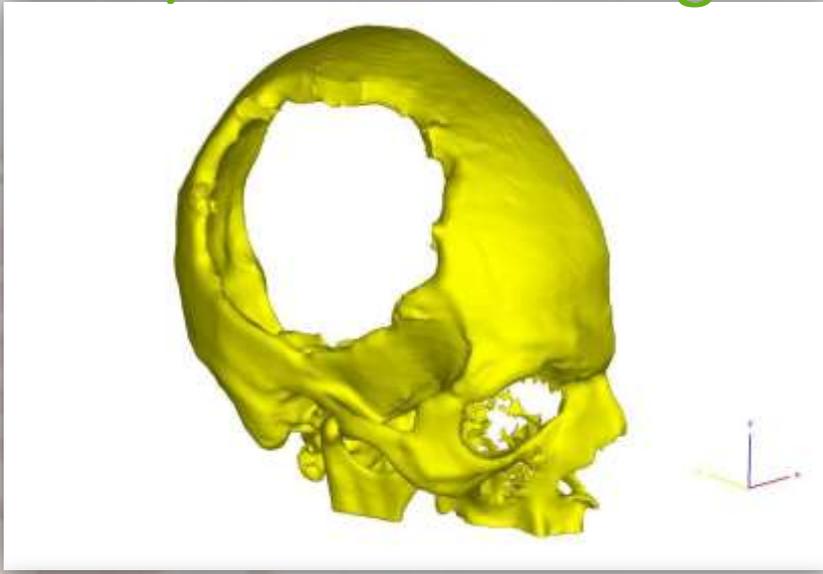


CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant DICOM data transformation



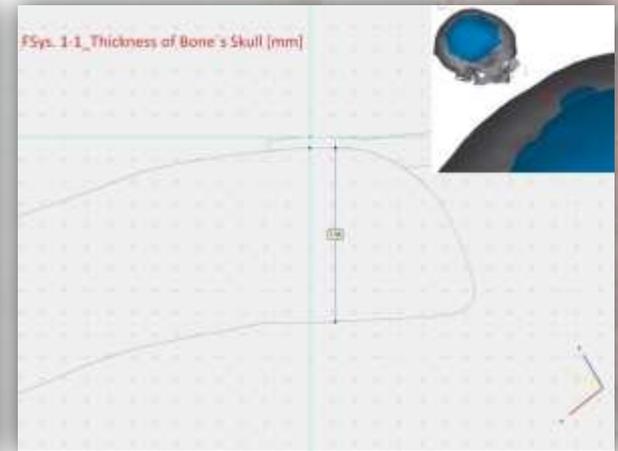
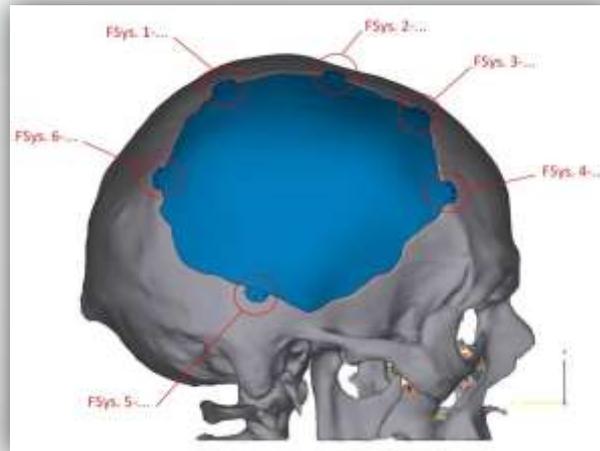
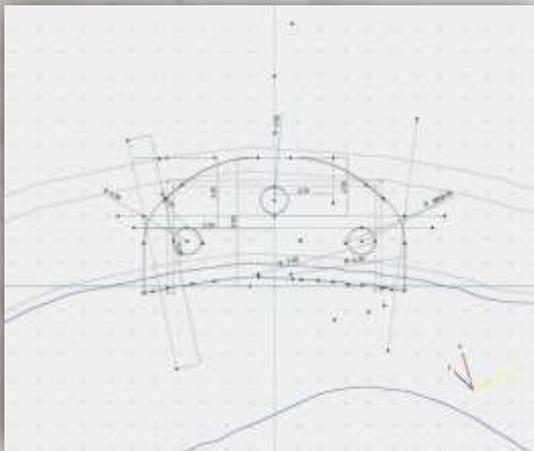
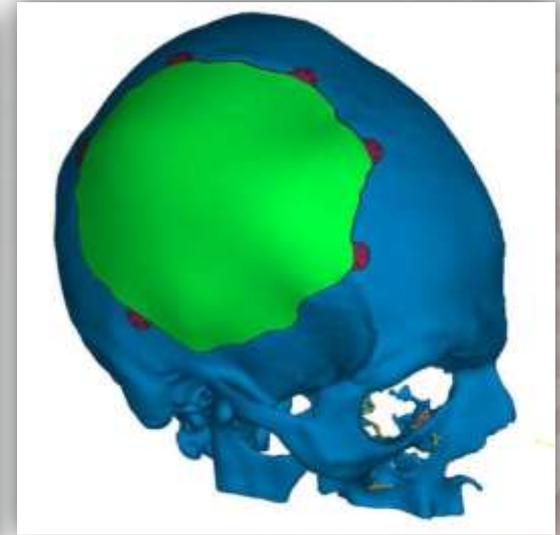
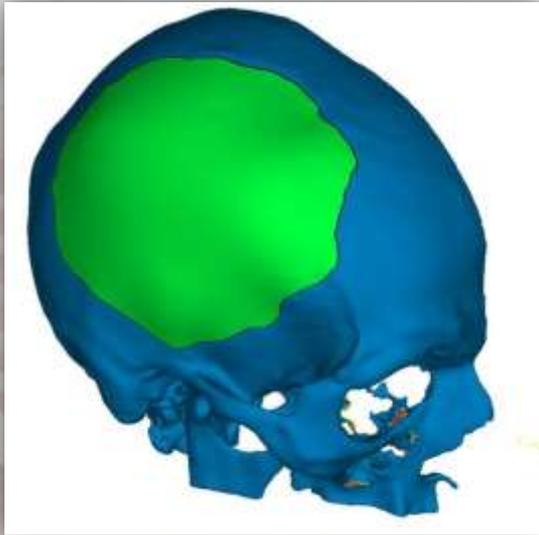
CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

CAD/CAM modeling



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

CAD/CAM modeling of fixation system



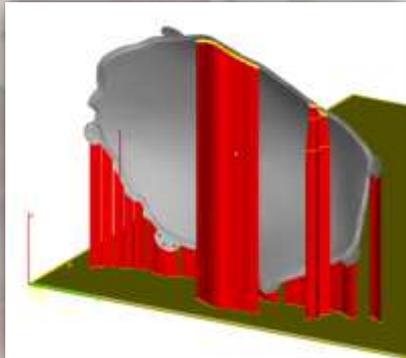
CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

Production of cranial implant

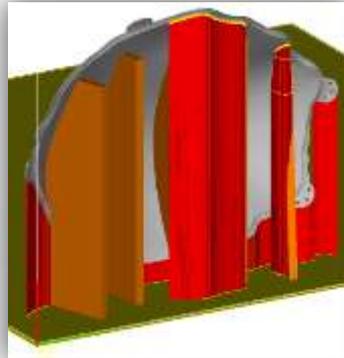
Optimalization of production process

Cranial implant of requested parameters and dimensions based on input data (CT scan_DICOM data) , means custom-made for dedicated patient and based on specific study of surgeon, or specific medical application was realized by „V. version“ (position, support material , etc.).

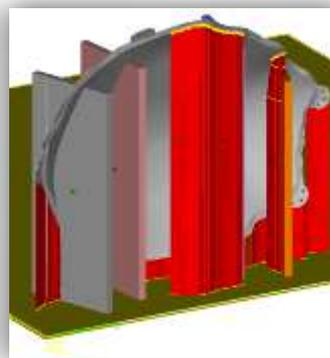
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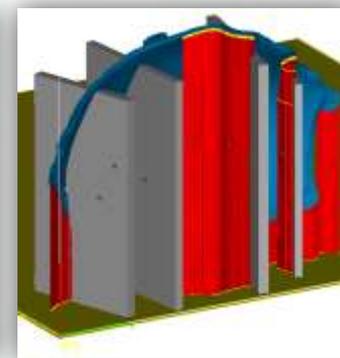
II. Version



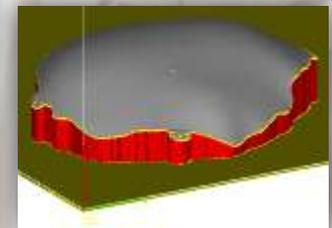
III. Version



IV. Version



V. Version

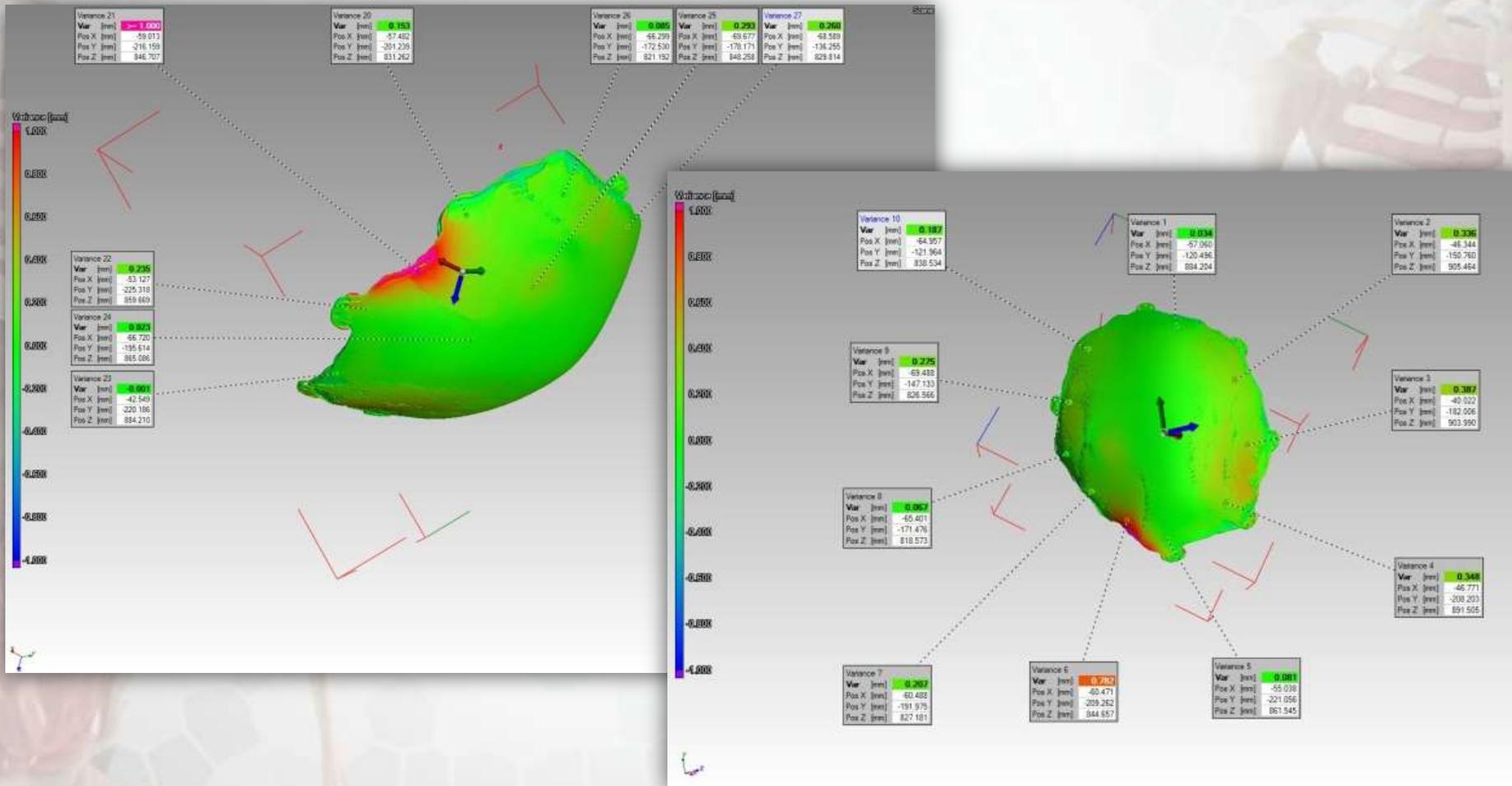


For each version the position of the part (cranial implant) was changed with specific change of support material and removed after heat treatment. Support/ Part Exposure Parameters“ were not changed, these parameters were identical for all versions.

CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

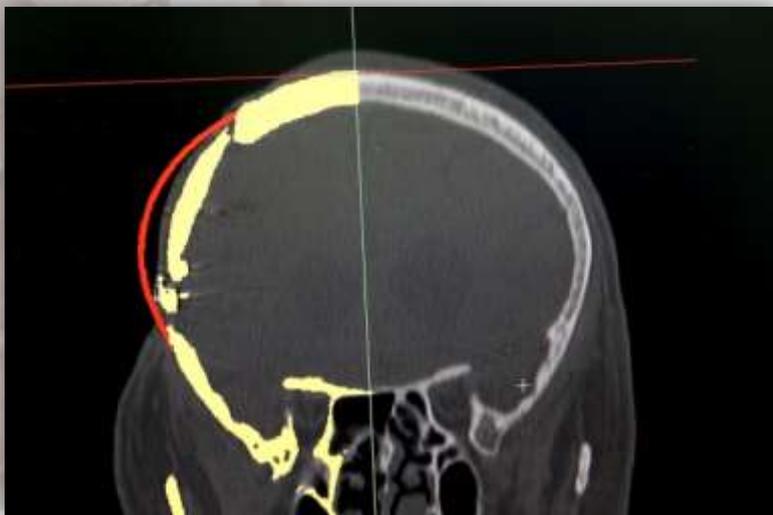
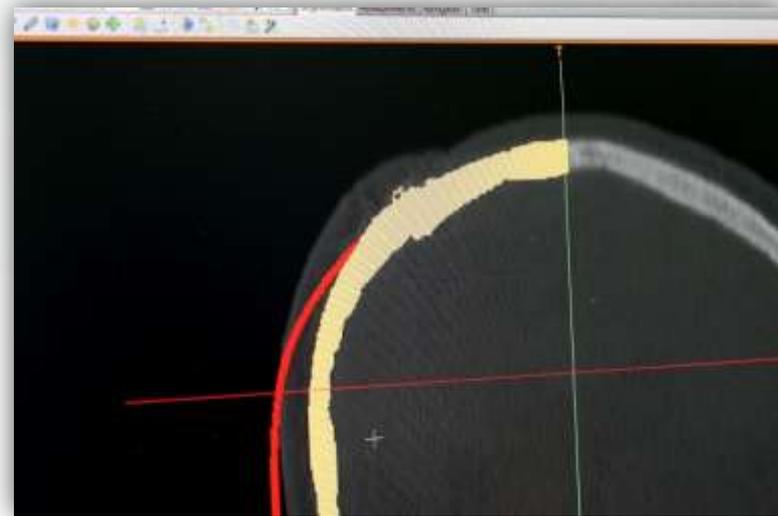
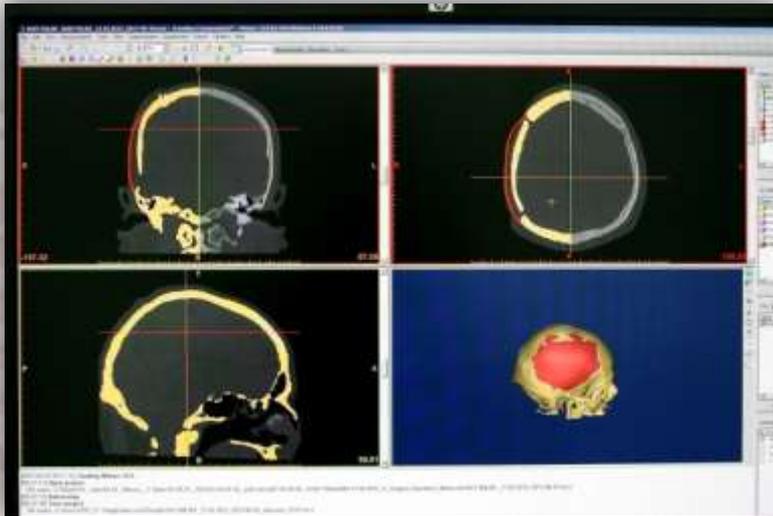
Production of cranial implant

Shape and size validation by Computed Tomography



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

Planning of the surgery



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

Before the surgery



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant Surgery



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant Surgery



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

After the surgery – 2 weeks



CASE STUDY 1 – Cranial implant

After the surgery –14 months



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant

Patient data

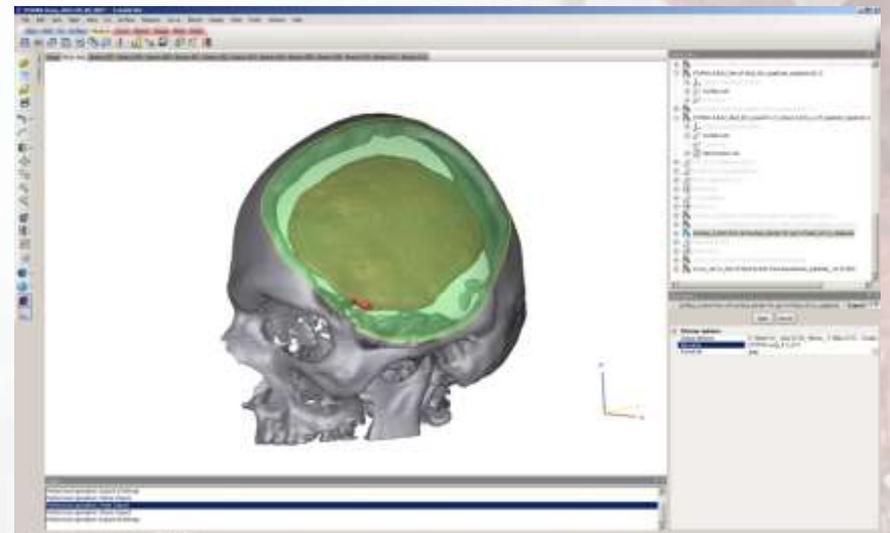
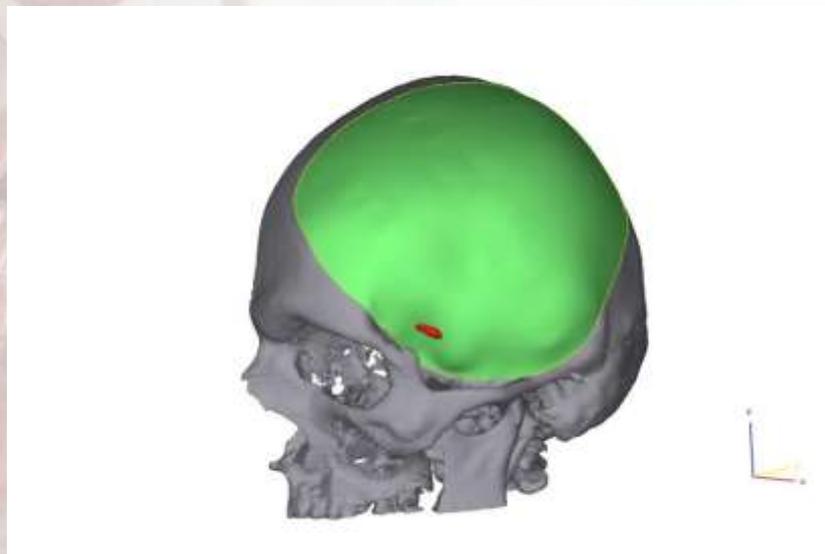
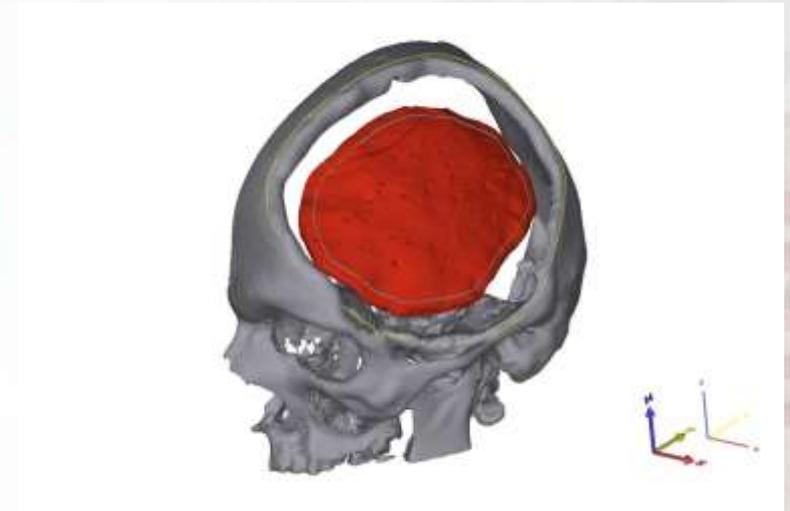
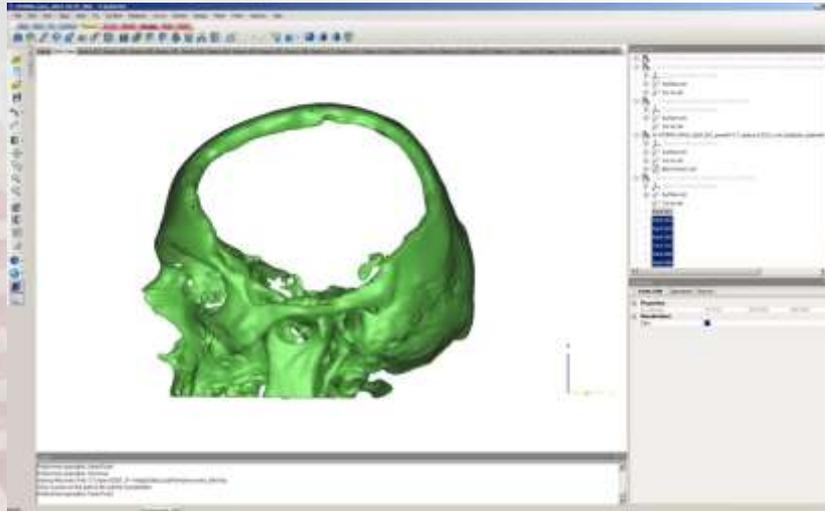
Age: 30

Cause of the injury: fall
from the building (9 year
ago)

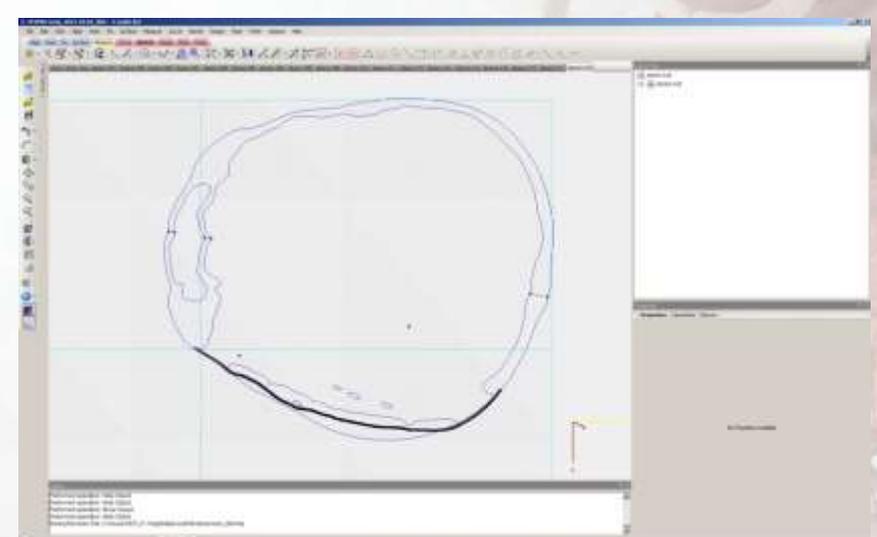
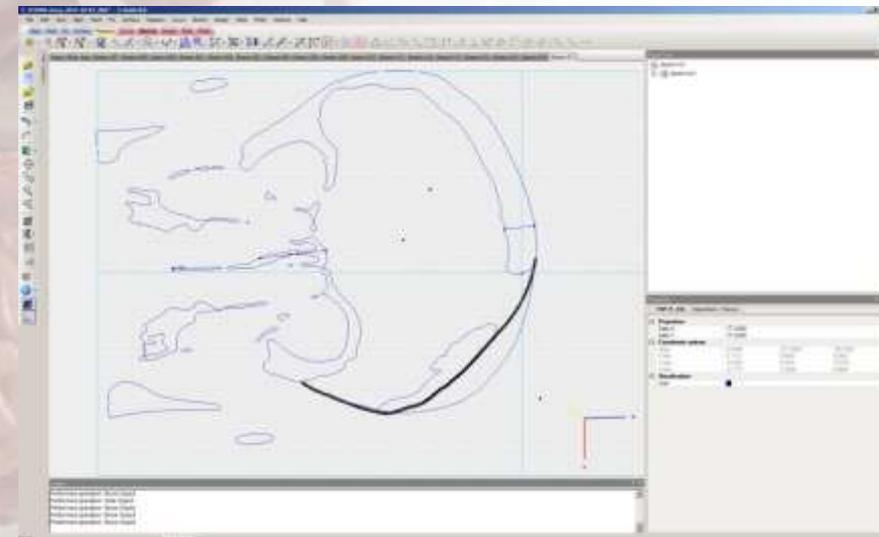
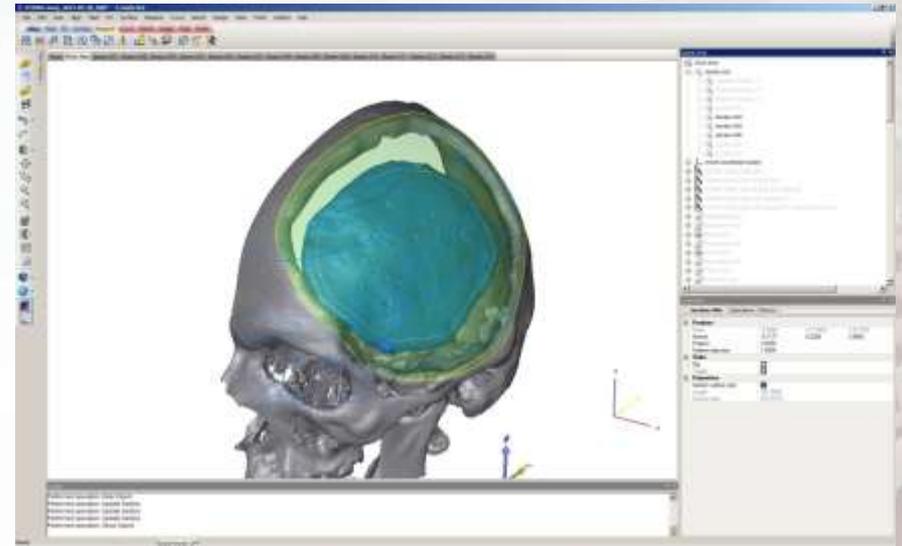
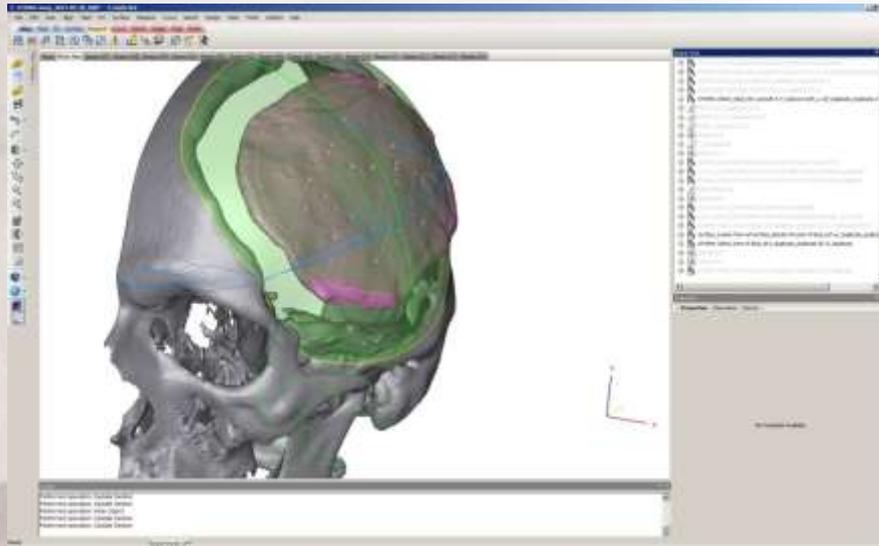
In coma after the accident
Difficulty to walk and speak
Large cranial defect: 33,8%



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant CAD/CAM modeling

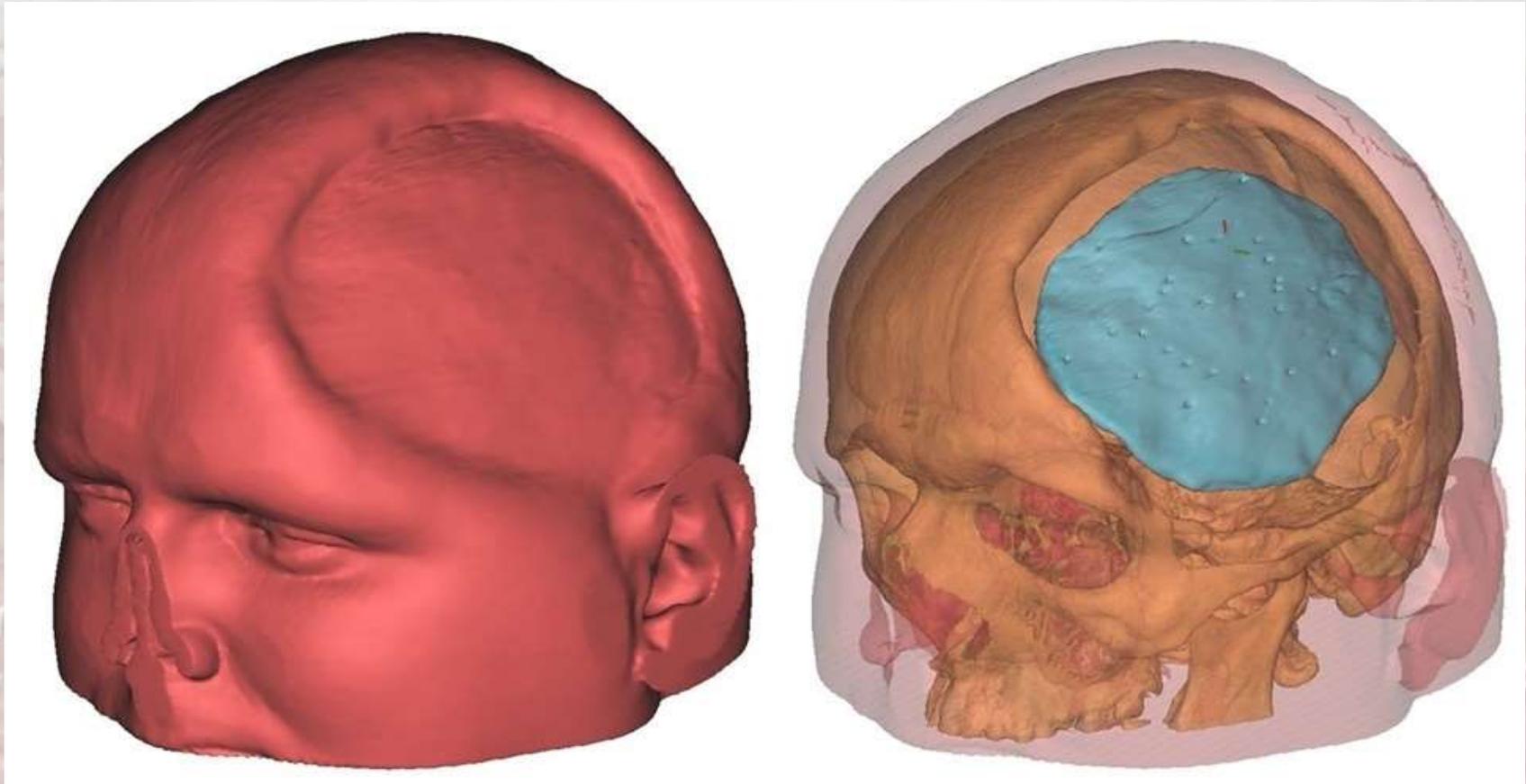


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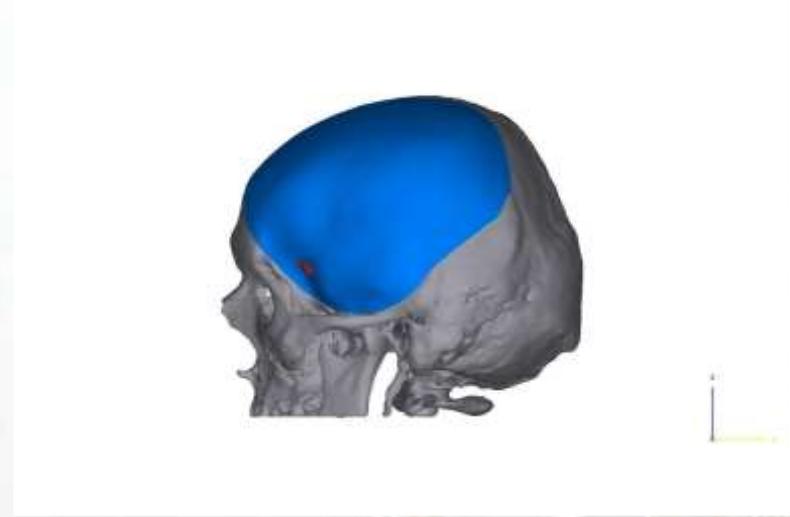
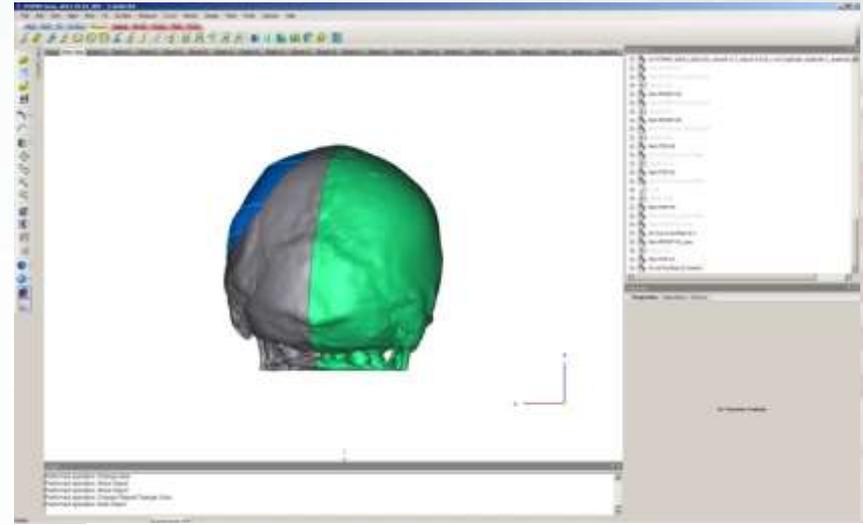
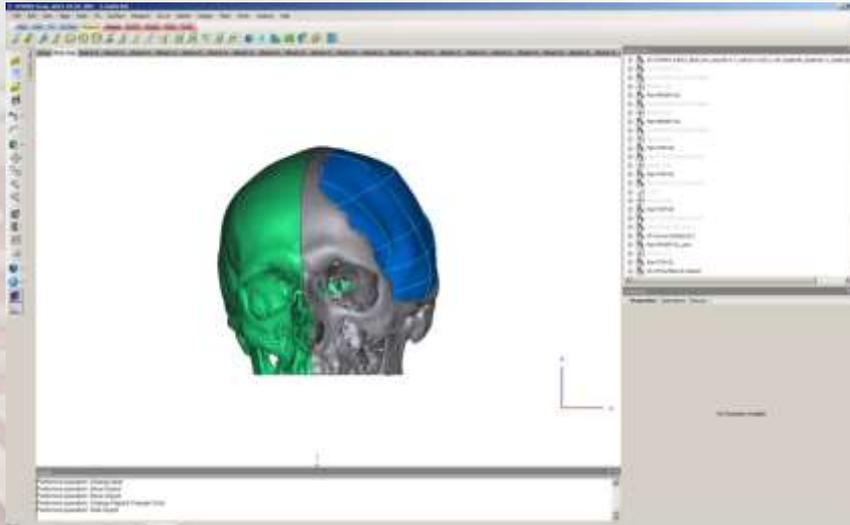


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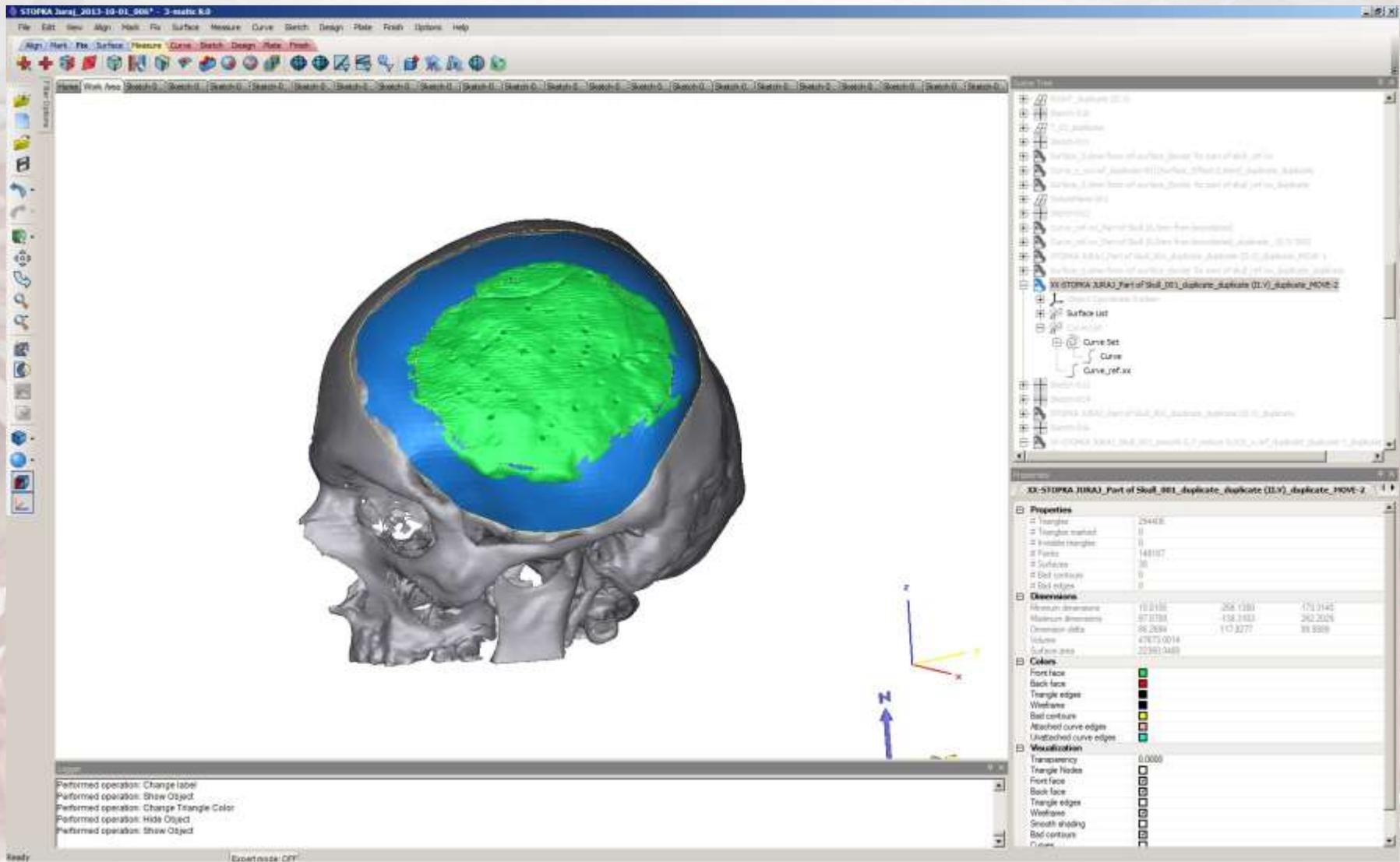
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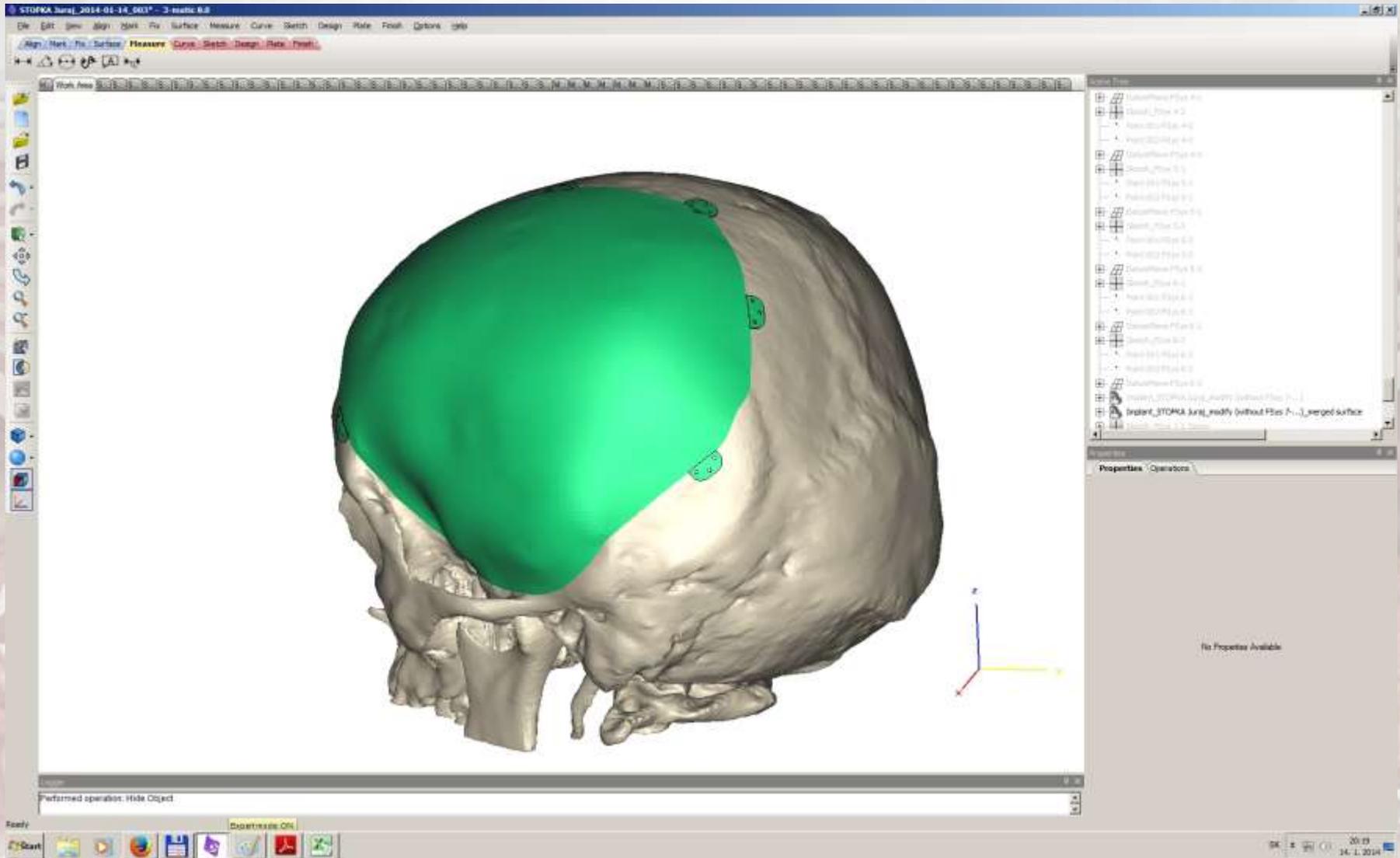
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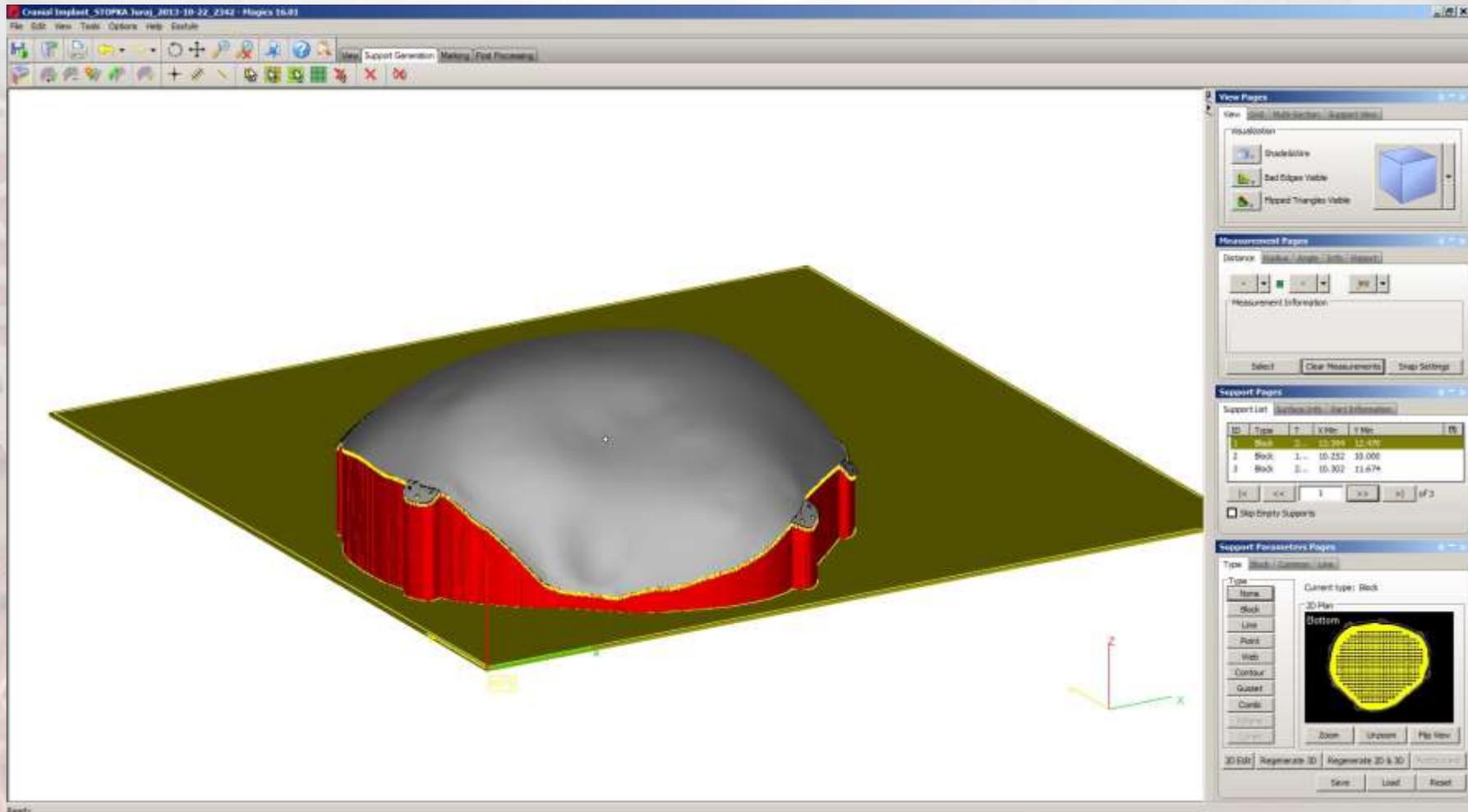
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CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant CAD/CAM modeling – Variant 2

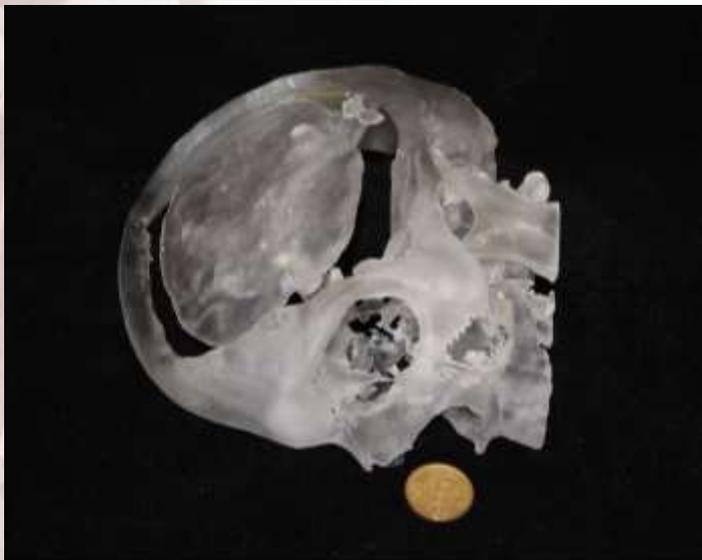


CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant CAD/CAM modeling – Support design



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant

Plastic referential models and final product



Material: Ti-6Al-4V (Grade 5)
titanium alloy

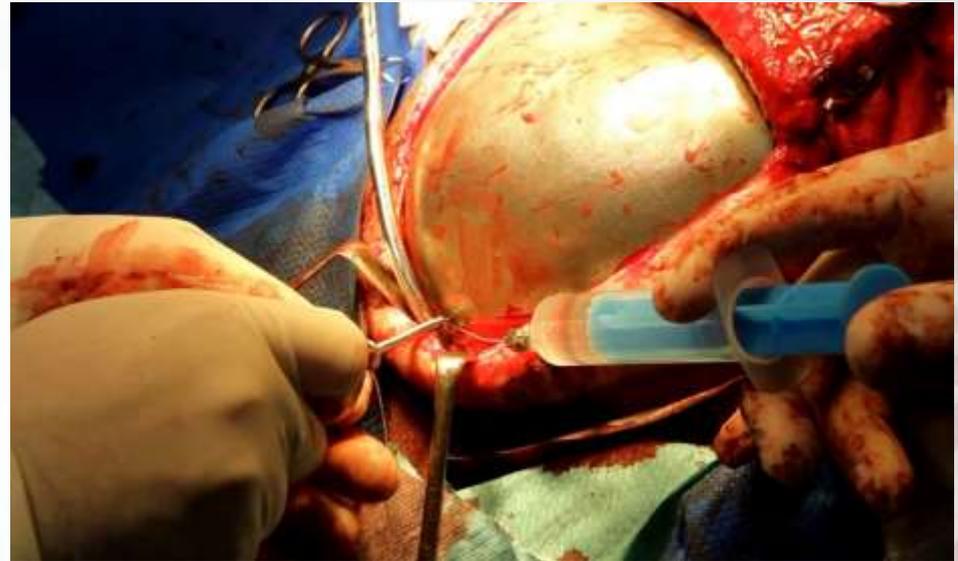
Weight: 125 g

Size: 120 cm²

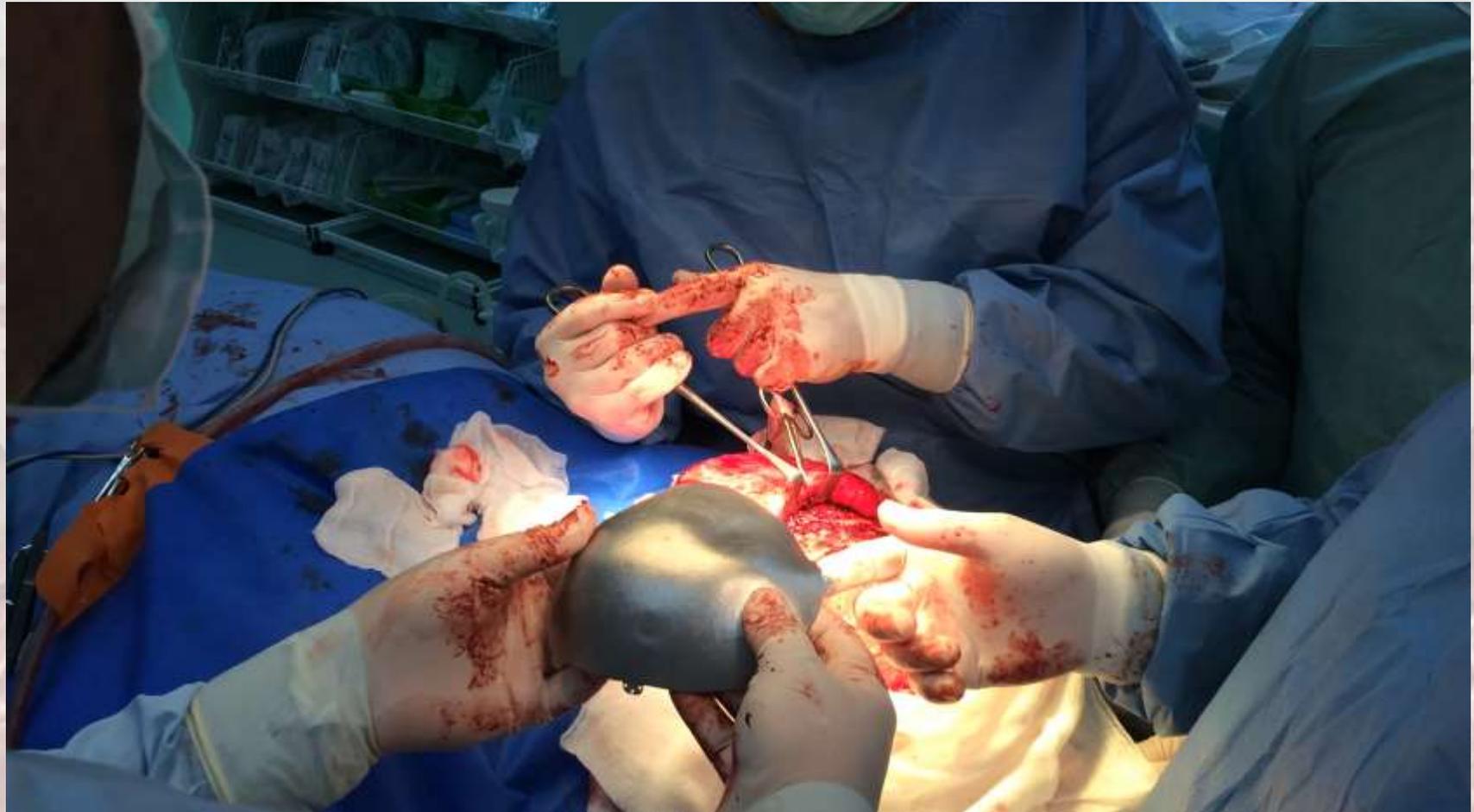
Technology: DMLS

Fixation: 21 screws, ϕ 1,2 mm

CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant Surgery



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant Surgery - video



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant

Before and after the surgery



CASE STUDY 2 – Cranial implant

Before and after the surgery



soon as 3 months after the surgery,
began to acquire the lost communication
ills, as well as mobility

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

Patient data

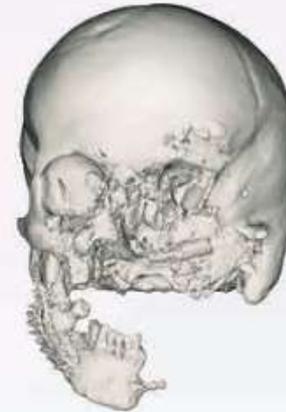


Age: 34

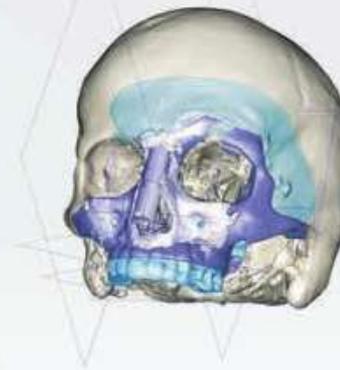
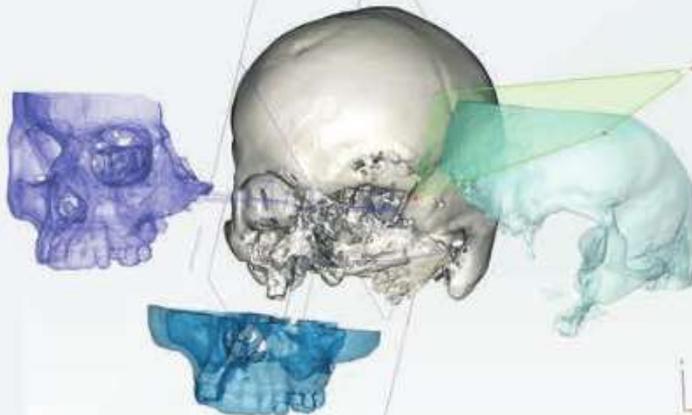
Cause of the injury: car accident

Large defect: 85,84 % of the face

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant CAD/CAM modeling



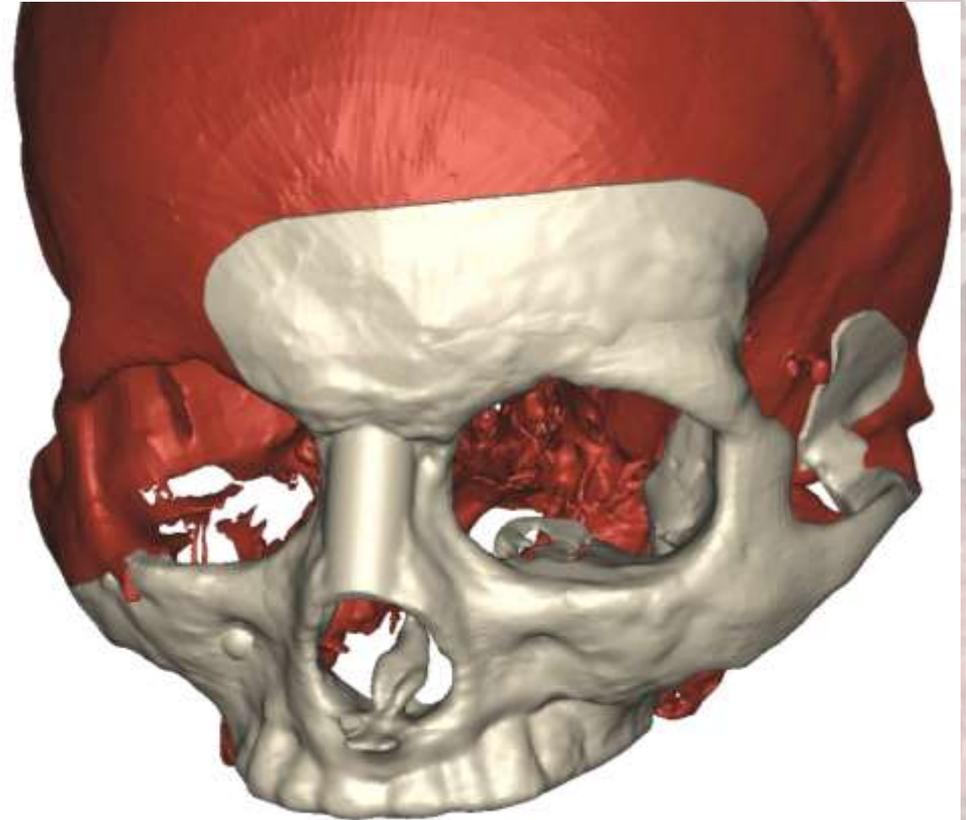
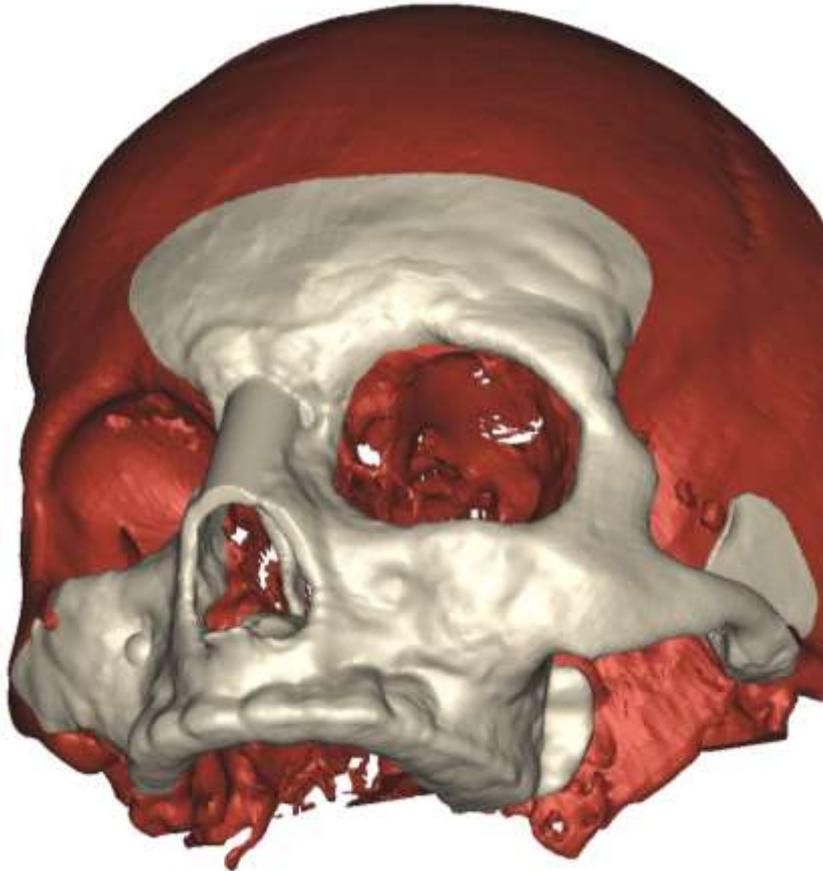
01/ a patient with an extensive defect in the facial and maxillofacial area



02/ 4 various sources of anatomical data were used for the restoration

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

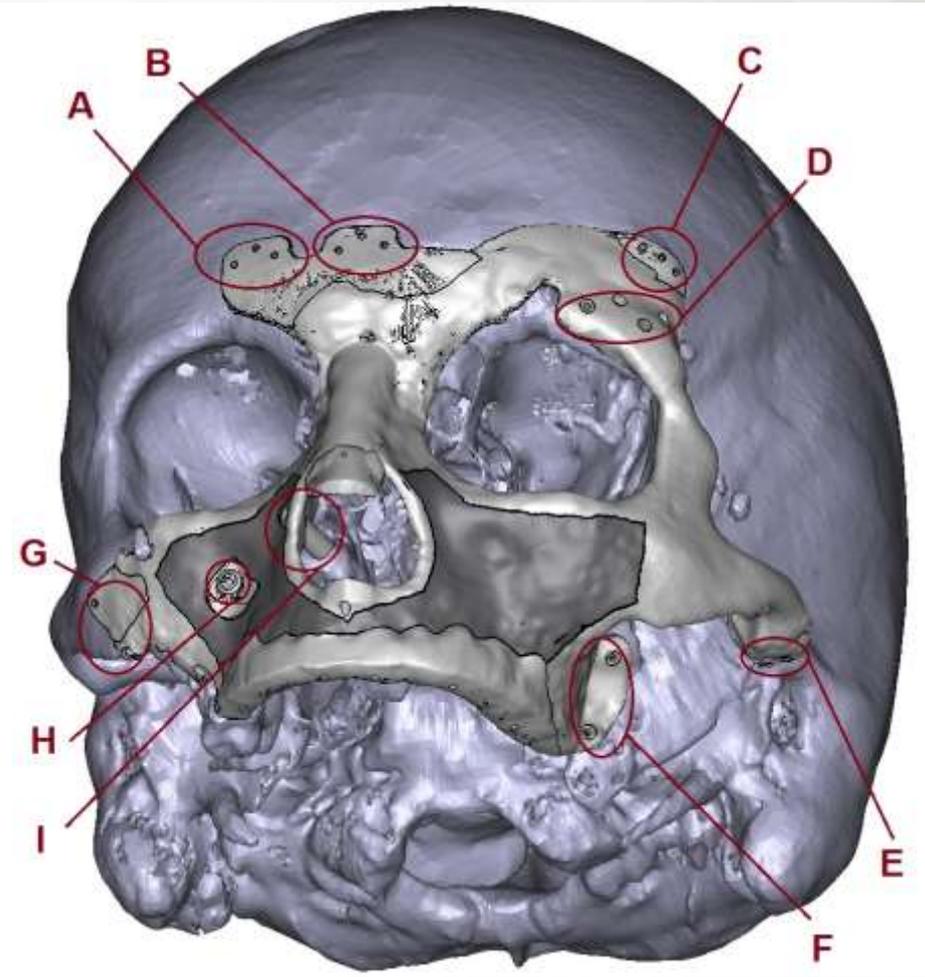
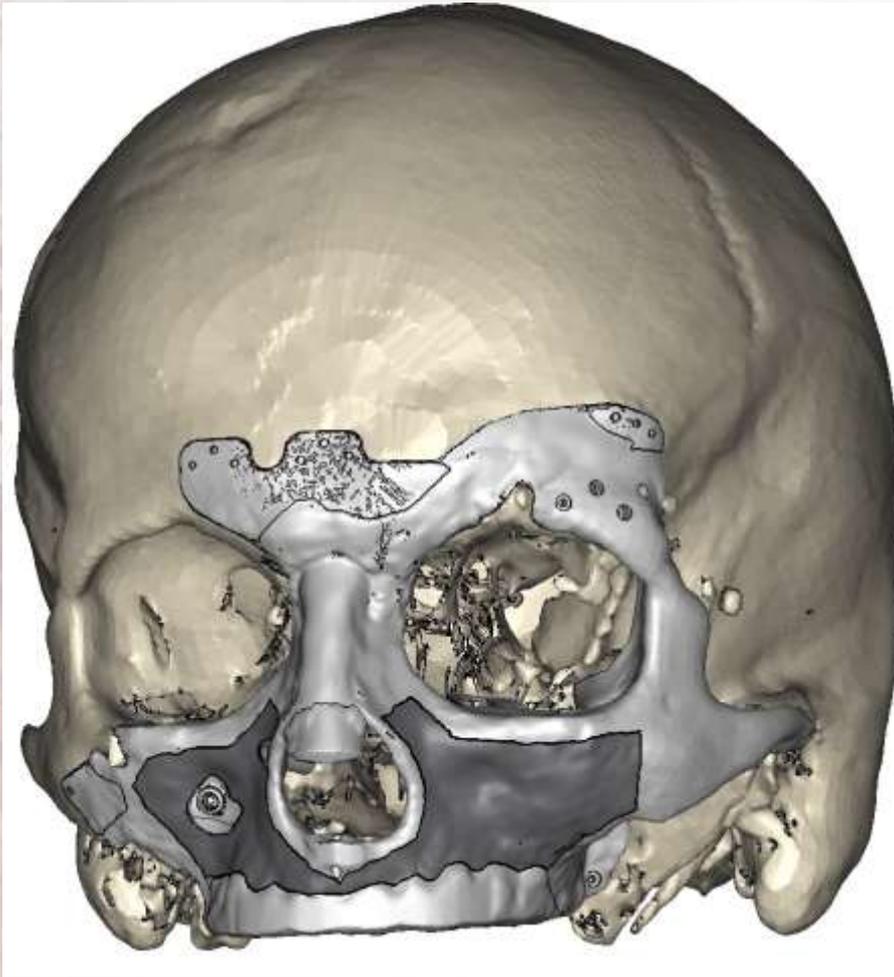
CAD/CAM modeling – variant 1



Weight: 260 g

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

CAD/CAM modeling – variant 2



Weight: 173 g

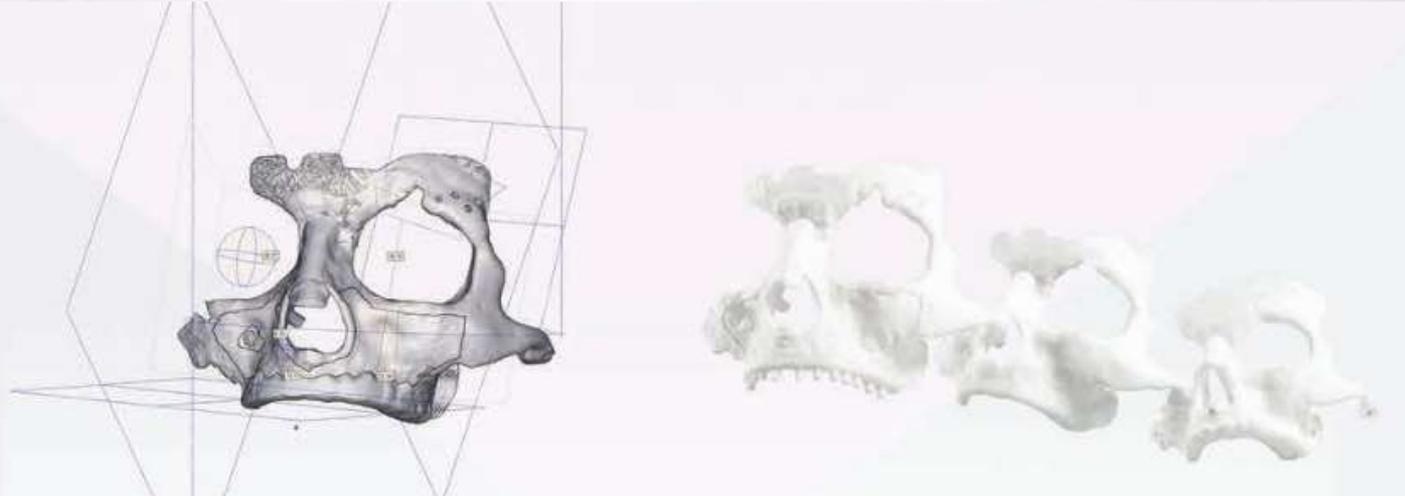
CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

Plastic referential models (variants)



CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

Final implant and patient after the surgery



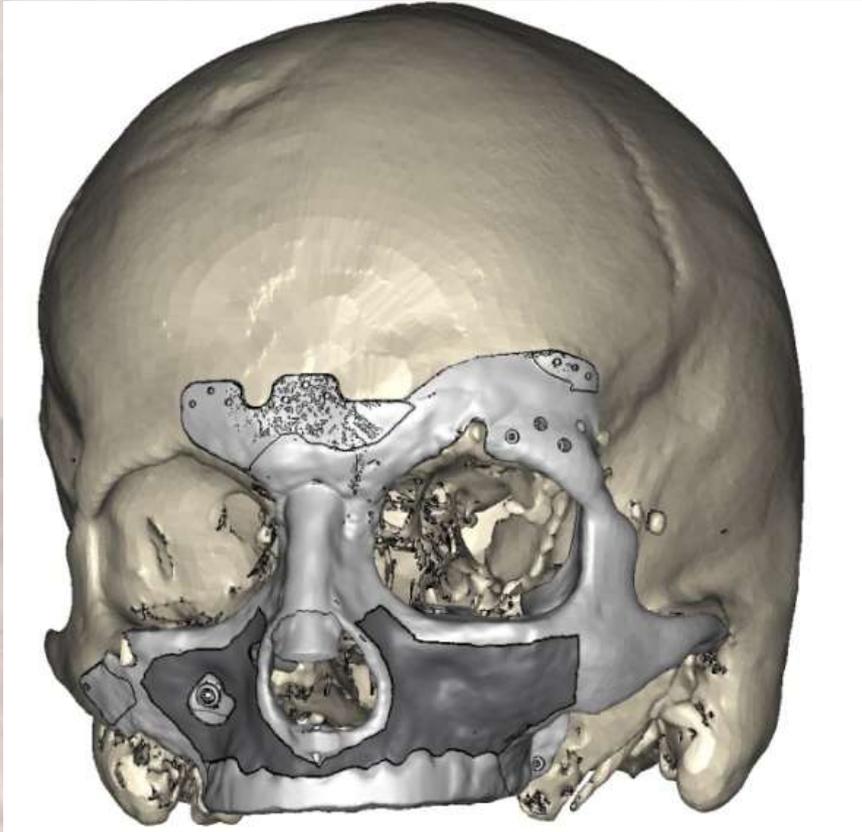
03/ final implant model was preceded by several development stages



04/ the patient is currently after the most demanding surgery,
3 subsequent interventions are planned to complete the restoration

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

Final implant



CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant

Final implant



85,84%

facial restoration

CASE STUDY 3 – Maxillofacial implant Surgery



AM OF POROUS STRUCTURES

AM facilitates the manufacture of implants with the porous structure that enables us to create implants with physical properties very similar to human bone properties

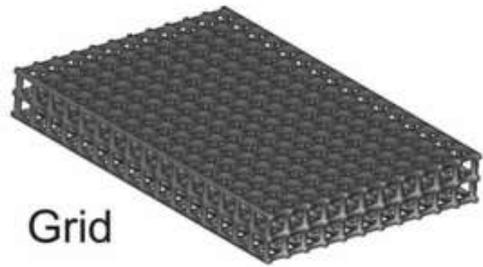
this unique structure improves the osteointegration and reduces the implant weight



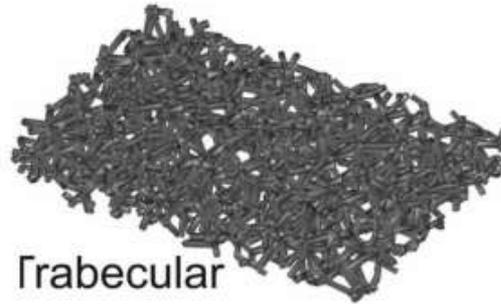
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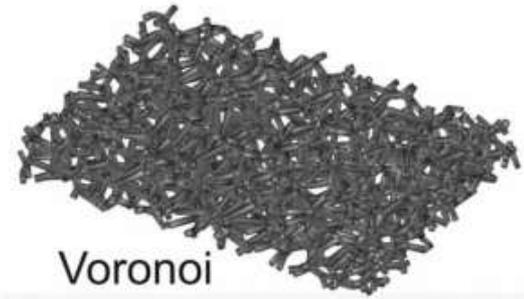
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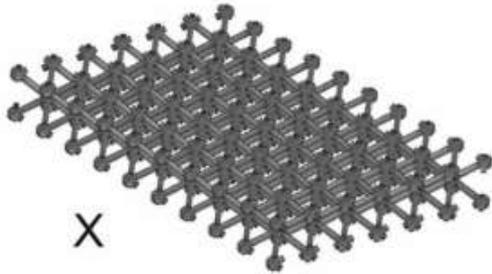
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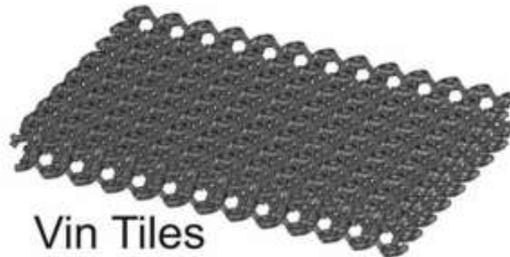
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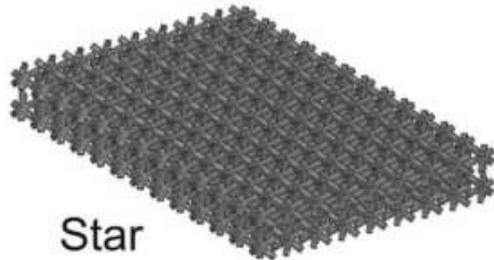
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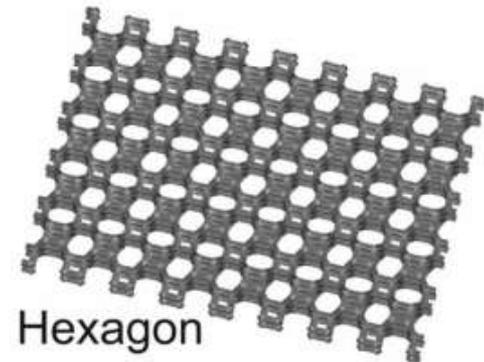
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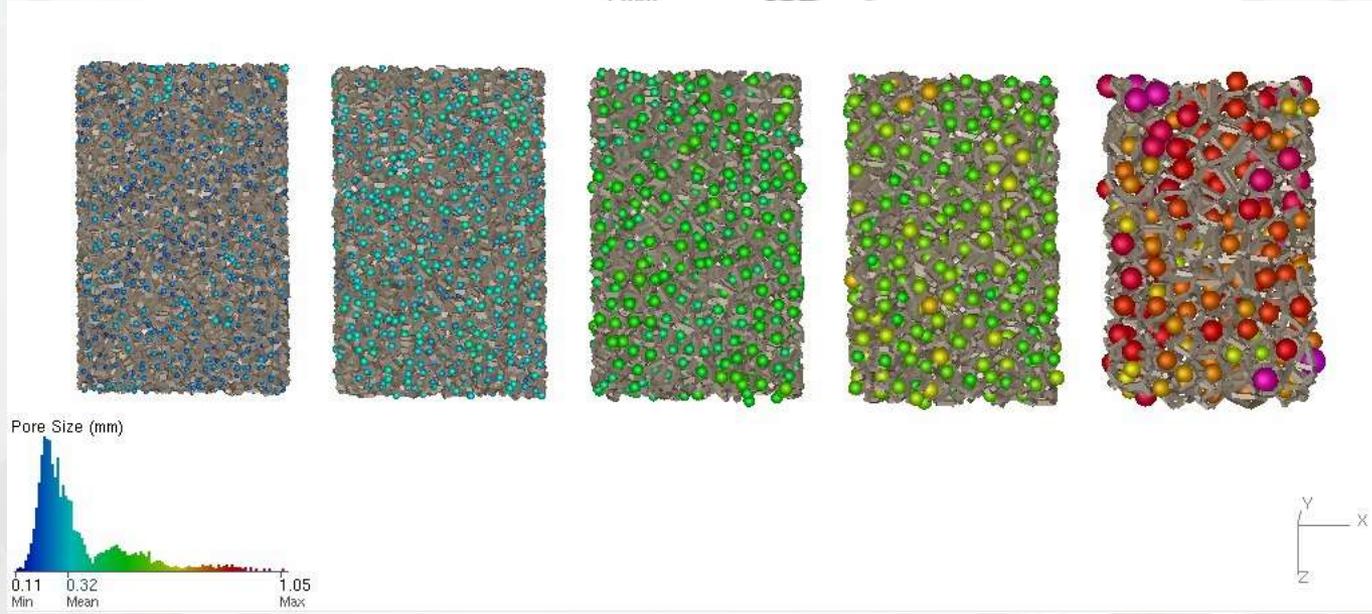
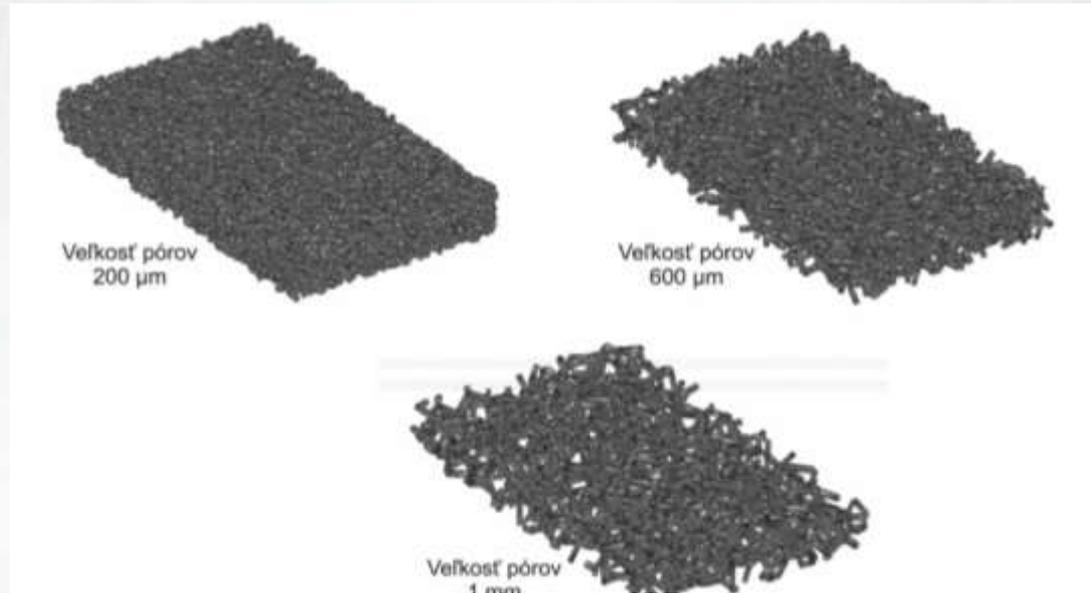


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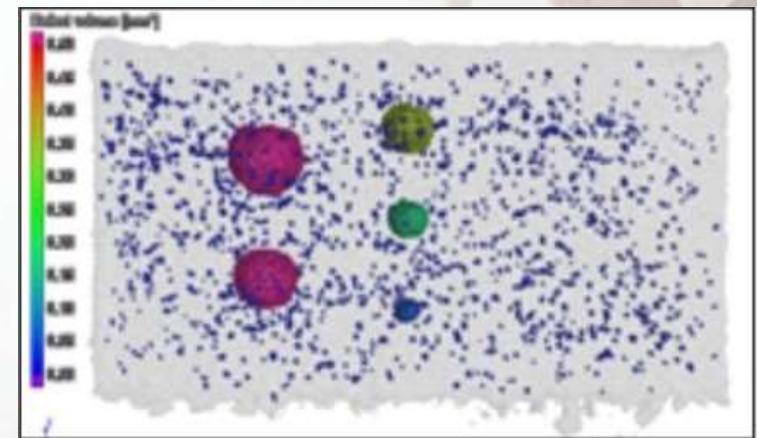
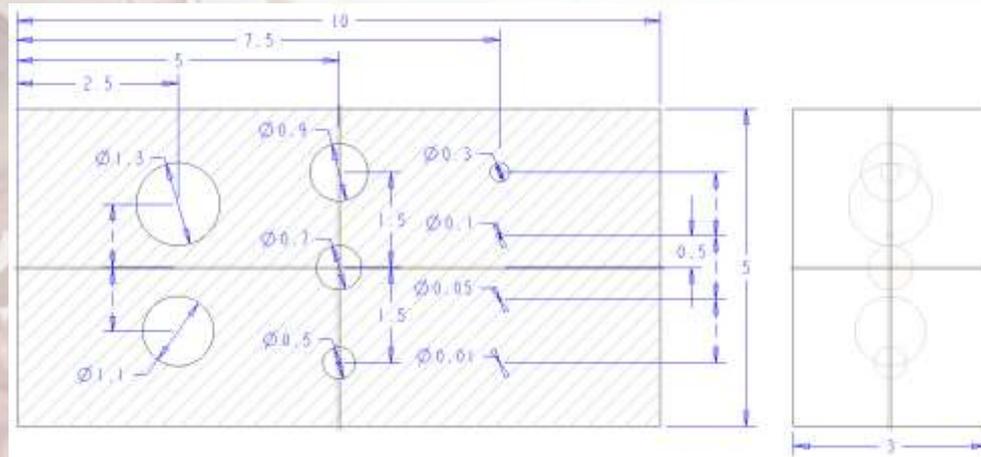
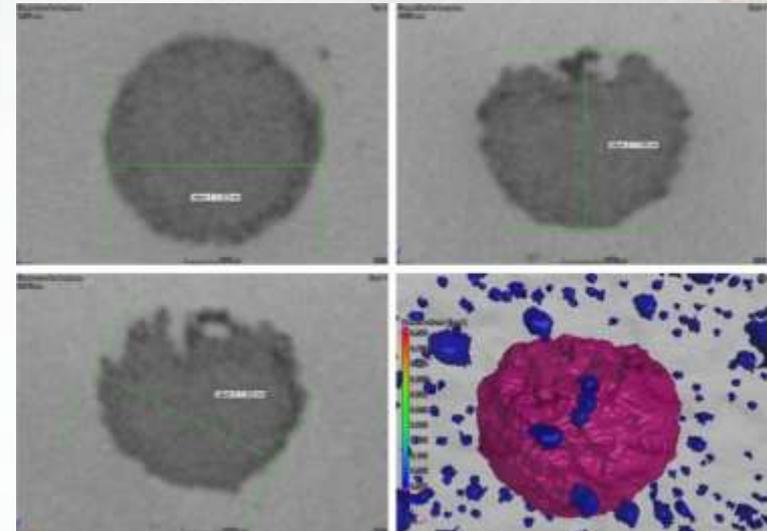
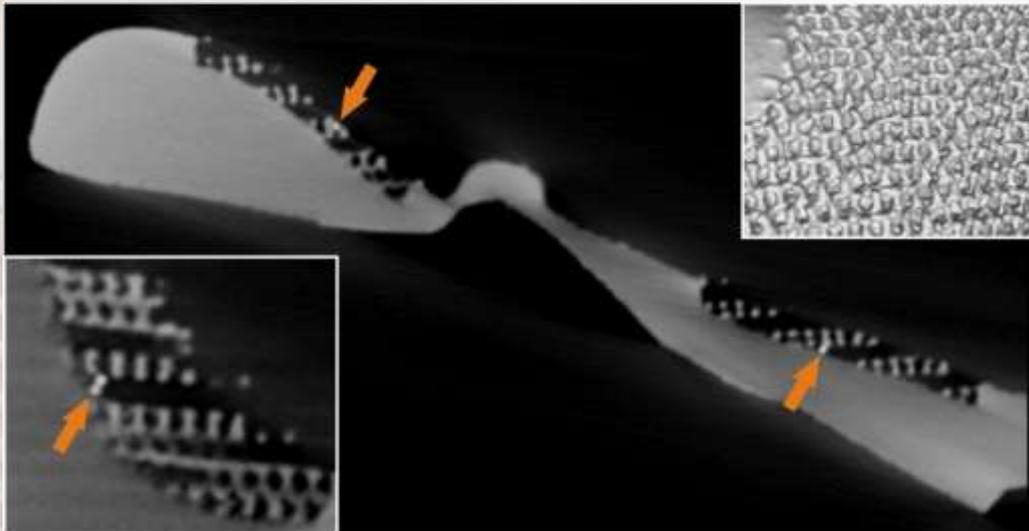


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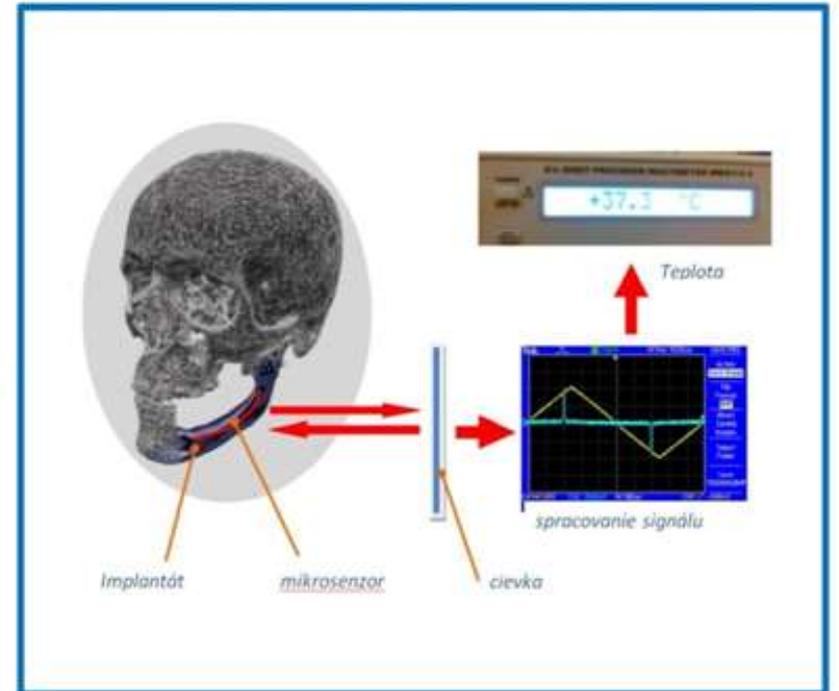
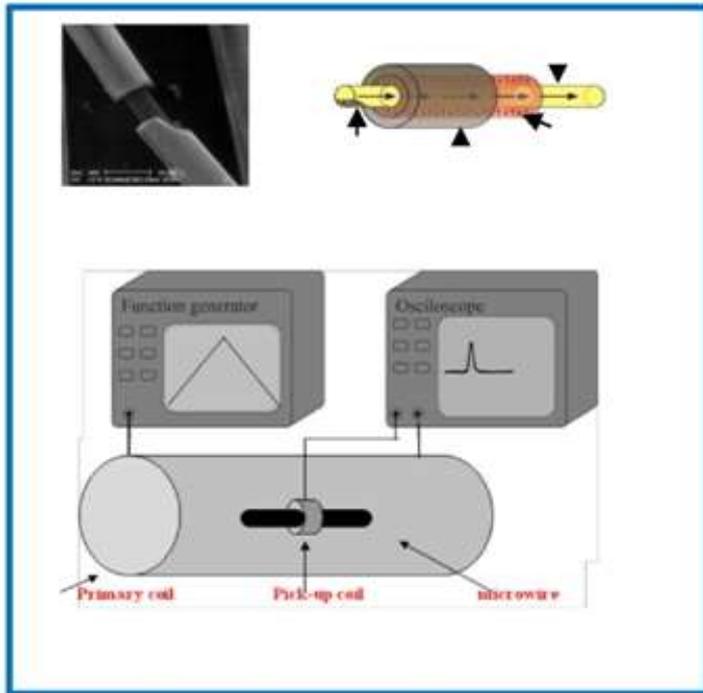


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